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Sheriff lays out Bethel's calls and crimes numbers

By MICHAEL DANIELS
In their first 75 days of providing police coverage in Bethel, deputies of the Oxford County Sheriff's Department answered 303 calls, issued 50 traffic citations, and arrested 15 people.

They also, according to Sheriff Wayne Gallant, accepted several compliments. On Monday Gallant presented Bethel selectmen with a detailed breakdown of police activity during his department's first two and half months on the Bethel beat.

The breakdown included not only the total numbers of incidents, but also the specific offense or violation for each, as well as their day of the week and time.

For example, the calls included 86 different types of incidents, ranging from 911 hang ups (10) and welfare checks (7) to residential burglary or unlawful entry (8), assault (4) and gross sexual violence (1).

Among other types of non-traffic incidents, the deputies responded most frequently to thefts (31), suspicious-person calls (19), alarms (14), and domestic incidents (7).

The time and day-of-the-week breakdown unsurprisingly peaked on Saturday night into Sunday morning.

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It's strategizing time for passenger rail supporters

By ALISON ALOISIO

Fifty years to the week after passenger rail service ended in Bethel, people who want to see it return gathered at the Bethel Inn to discuss how to make that happen.

They predicted that European tourists, skiers, local retirees and businesspeople, as well as residents from all over western Maine would ride the rails on a Portland-to-Montreal route like the one which once ran through Bethel.

About 70 people turned out for last Thursday's meeting, which was both a presentation and input session and was coordinated by the Maine Department of Transportation.

Study underway

As plans progress for expanding passenger rail service north of Portland, MDOT

'European visitors love to travel, but they don't so much like to rent cars.'

CHAD MCGREW, River View Resort

is doing a feasibility study for also extending train routes to Lewiston-Auburn and per-

haps to Montreal.

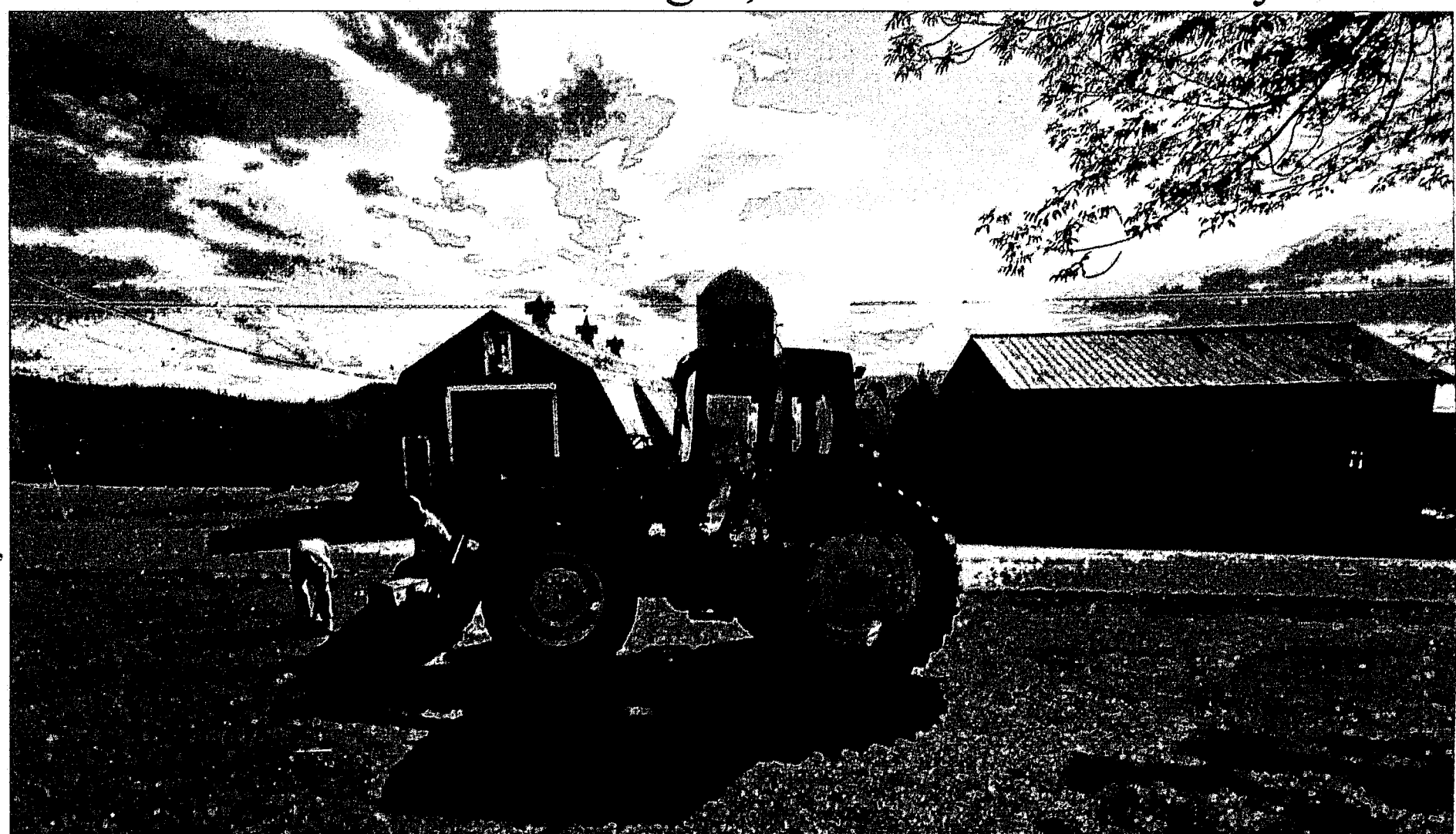
The study, which is looking at such topics as ridership potential, costs, options for possible station stops and needed rail upgrades, is expected to be completed in December. If extending the service is

deemed feasible, the work would progress to environmental analyses, permitting, design, securing funding (likely from the federal government), equipment procurement and construction.

Sue Moreau, director of multi-modal planning for MDOT, said the most serious attention is being given to extending the route from Port-

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Back where harvests begin, a little time for belly rubs



BETHEL WILL BE BUSTLING THIS WEEKEND WITH HARVEST FEST ACTIVITIES, but with the hay in, it was peace and quiet Tuesday afternoon at Hi-Vu Farm in Bryant Pond. Carla Phillips even found time to give Fynn, Jordan Bean's 12-week-old German Shorthaired Pointer, a good belly rub. Carla is secretary-treasurer of the Oxford County Farm Bureau, which this year awarded Bean (seated on tractor bucket) its Albert Rice Memorial Scholarship. "I've lived on farms all my life," said Bean, who now lives in Bethel, with his aunt and uncle Tim and Joanne Korhonen. The Gould Academy graduate plans to study diesel and heavy equipment mechanic, but he's already learned an older craft — blacksmithing. He forges bent arm pins (a more complicated form of cotter pin), farm necessities he sells at agricultural fairs. The 200-acre Hi-Vu Farm is owned by Carla and her husband, Bradford. It sits high in rolling hills, near the end of Curtis Hill Road. Photo: M. Daniels

Board extends contract of Town Manager Jim Doar

By MICHAEL DANIELS

The Bethel Board of Selectmen last week voted to extend Town Manager Jim Doar's current three-year contract to five years, with salary increases of four percent for each of the final two years.

Following a one-hour executive session Tuesday, the board reconvened in open session and Selectman Don Bennett motioned for the extension and salary increase.

"What we're doing is recog-

nize somebody who's done a heck of a good job," Bennett said. "And when we find someone like that, we are interested in continuity and consistency, and we have somebody who will do that. And in years four and five this will probably be looked on as a pretty good deal for the town."

"That's my crystal ball," he concluded.

There being no further com-

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State AG proposing town of Bethel take over management of Bingham Trust land

By ALISON ALOISIO

If the town of Bethel takes over management of the former 2,300-acre Bethel Water District watershed, it would have to "repair, maintain, and manage all infrastructure necessary to put Chapman Brook back into service as an emergency backup water supply," under a consent order proposed by the Maine Attorney General's Office.

But the town could harvest

timber (under strict guidelines) and use the income to pay taxes on the land, maintain the infrastructure and manage the land — in that order of priority.

In addition, the proposal provides for limited public recreational access to the watershed, with motorized access limited to snowmobiles.

A special Town Meeting is expected to be scheduled to decide if Bethel will accept re-

sponsibility for the land. But there are still many questions regarding such an arrangement, Town Manager Jim Doar said.

Background
In 1925, William Bingham II gave the 2,358 acres, located in Newry, in trust to the BWD's predecessor, the Bethel Water Co. to serve as the foundation of the town's water supply.

To protect the purity of the water source, Chapman

Brook, Bingham's deed restricted activity, particularly wood harvesting. Only enough wood can be cut to pay the taxes on the land.

Today, the district pays approximately \$4,000 to Newry. (BWD does not pay taxes to Bethel, where 111 watershed acres are located.)

But the watershed and brook no longer serve as the town's

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Locke Mills arsonist sentenced to 18 months

By M. DIRK LANGEVELD
Sun Media Group

A former volunteer firefighter charged with setting fire to two vacant homes in Greenwood last fall was sentenced to serve 18 months in prison on Monday.

Jeffrey A. Tyler, 28, of 60 Paris Road in Bethel, pleaded guilty to two counts of arson in May and his sentencing was delayed pending a psy-

chological evaluation. He appeared in the Oxford County Superior Court before Justice Robert Clifford, who ordered him to serve 18 months of a 10-year sentence.

Tyler must also serve four years of probation, during which time he must attend counseling and pay restitution not to exceed \$65,000. The money will be paid to Bruce Connor of Chelmsford, Mass.,

who owned one of the houses and did not have insurance.

According to an affidavit by Daniel L. Young of the Maine Fire Marshal's Office, Tyler admitted to investigators that he started the Nov. 17, 2009, blaze. He said his wife and two-year-old daughter had recently gone to visit family in Florida, and his wife had called to say they would not be returning. Tyler said he lit

three dry leaves on fire as a symbolic gesture and dropped them to the ground.

Tyler said the burning leaves ignited other leaves under a barn at Connor's property at 238 Main St. when he left the scene. The house on the property also caught fire, and windblown embers and radiant heat from the blaze ignited the adjacent home at 236 Main

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CROP WALK SEPT. 26

To the Editor:

Local CROP (Communities Respond to Overcome Poverty) Walks help to relieve hunger here and around the world. Bethel area people will work and walk together to raise funds and awareness to overcome poverty. Walkers will walk 5K (3 miles) around Bethel village on Sunday, Sept. 26, 12:30 p.m., starting at the West Parish Congregational Church on Church Street. 25 percent of the funds stay locally, going to the Good Shepherd Food Bank, earmarked for Bethel and surrounding towns to use, like the District Exchange.

Church World Service partners with aid agencies around the world to provide disaster relief as well as long-term micro-loans and development projects in over 80 countries. For example, while poverty has declined in some areas, like East Asia, in other regions, especially Africa, the number of persons living in extreme poverty has increased. Living at such a marginal level means an incredible vulnerability to changes in climate, crop prices and health problems. Church World Service aims to get at the root of the problems of poverty and hunger.

Last year the Bethel Area CROP Walk raised \$3,100 toward the work of Church World Service. This year the Bethel area and some 2,000 cities and towns nationwide are joining together in interfaith community CROP Hunger Walks around the theme "Ending Hunger One Step at a Time." Many of the CROP Walkers will be wearing CROP Walk t-shirts, proclaiming their solidarity with millions of neighbors around the world who have to walk to live -- as well as with the millions served by local food pantries, food banks, and meal sites here in the U.S.

For more information about the Bethel Area CROP Hunger Walk, contact Jane Chandler, jane.h.chandler@gmail.com or 357-3524.

Jane Chandler

Woodstock

FIRST THE BAD NEWS

To the Editor:

We're in the middle of the worst recession in 70 years. Okay, so that's not really news. Neither is belt tightening. Even the state government-believe it or not-has begun to cut back. But before you tighten your belt you need to make sure it's not around your throat. You don't start changing the oil in your car every 30,000 miles, for instance. Well, that's what we're doing to our roads and railroads.

Here are a few interesting facts about our deteriorating road system courtesy of the Maine Development Foundation report, "The Difference is Night and Day."

On average, each Maine motorist spends \$282 a year due to more rapid depreciation, extra repairs, higher fuel usage and increased tire wear caused by deteriorating roads. Annually poor roads cost Maine motorists \$283 million statewide.

Roughly one third of the fatal accidents or 65 deaths a year may be attributed directly to poor roads.

Our truckers are losing income because of deteriorating roads, detours and closed bridges. Every hour of delay costs a trucker \$350. That in turn increases the cost of products in the marketplace.

Annually Maine DOT posts between 18% and 23% of ALL state highway miles, shutting down many of Maine's core industries such as pulp and paper, construction, manufactured housing, fuels and forest products, for weeks at a time. Maine has more miles of posted roads than any other state in the nation, decreasing productivity and putting affected industries at a significant competitive disadvantage.

Maine has an aging population, and accident rates among older drivers are high and rising and poor road conditions contribute.

Recent studies have directly linked transportation investment and economic development. Highway access was ranked as more important than taxes or energy costs to businesses looking to locate a new facility. At the River View Resort, which my wife Rene and I have managed for almost fourteen years, we have seen a direct impact as out-of-state visitors cancel planned trips after hearing about or directly experiencing our road conditions.

Maine also has the option of becoming a major player in both passenger and freight rail. Businesses would prefer greater freight rail usage, and the Auburn Intermodal Facility--where rail freight and truck freight interchange--has already streamlined L.L.Bean's supply chain among others. Upgrading the rail from there to Bethel and beyond will open a huge shipping corridor in the northeast and at the same time bring in as many as hundreds of thousands of new visitors yearly. That's a lot of bang for the buck.

Roads and railroads are the economic air our state breathes. Yet, rather than maintaining and expanding them we are tightening the belt around our own throats. In this past session the Legislature narrowly voted down bond money much of which was slated for rebuilding and maintaining the roads in western Maine. Everyone knows that we cannot allow our roads to completely deteriorate and that one day soon we will have to fix them. Should we do it now or wait until we have to rebuild them from scratch?

The hard working people of western Maine know that we deserve decent roads again, roads that will support rather than hinder business and jobs. The good news is that we can and will get them. All it takes is the willingness to face up to the problem and work together in a common cause for a change.

Chad McGrew

Bethel

The writer is the Democratic candidate for State Representative in District 91.

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CASINO A BAD DEAL FOR THE OXFORD HILLS

To the Editor:

People will spend a tremendous amount of money in casinos, money that they would normally spend on buying a refrigerator or a new car. Local businesses will suffer because they lose customer dollars to the casinos.

Donald Trump, owner, Taj Mahal Casino, Atlantic City, N.J.

I'm not against gambling. And I'm not in favor of telling other people how to spend their money. What I'm against is building a casino where the harm it inflicts would far outweigh any good it does. That's why I'm against the proposed Oxford County "Resort Casino." Its supporters have grossly exaggerated the supposed benefits of a casino while pretending there will be no costs to the community. The truth is that the costs would be much greater than the possible benefits, resulting in a net loss for the Oxford Hills.

Let's clear up one thing first; there's no "Resort" in the "Resort Casino." It's a casino. A restaurant, a hotel, and a "spa" does not make a "resort" that will be a "destination" for tourists. Sunday River is a "destination resort"; this is a gambling casino, plain and simple.

Second, the "Gabe Report" touted by the casino proponents makes unsupported and unsupportable "predictions" about jobs and money coming to Oxford. Economists cite statistics the way the Devil cites Scripture. In fact, outside of Foxwoods and Las Vegas, there is no actual casino that comes close to producing results like the ones being claimed for this one. Towns with neighborhood gambling casinos like this one are no better off, and more often worse off, than they were before the casinos went in.

As Donald Trump says, casinos just take the money that local people are already spending in the local economy and suck it into the casinos. Existing businesses suffer and jobs are lost. Worse, casinos do their best to tempt people to spend even the money they would otherwise save and invest. Casinos are extremely successful at draining the money dry. The Oxford casino scheme even plans to allow gambling on credit.

That's why it's important to remember that this will not be a "destination resort." Gambling operations like this one are overwhelmingly dependent on spending by local citizens, and the experiences of existing regional casinos show that 80 percent to 90 percent of the customers come from within a one- or two-hour drive of the casino. Casino supporters actually boast that a casino in Oxford may keep local people from traveling to Foxwoods, which proves the point that the casino plan is dependent on taking local money.

And while the casino may create some jobs, there is absolutely no guarantee that many of these jobs will be available for the local workforce. There is such a saturation of casinos around the country now, including three that are currently proposed for Massachusetts, that they don't often pan out the way the developers plan; and that means a lot of displaced experienced professional casino workers looking for jobs wherever they can go to get them.

So the benefits have been greatly exaggerated. But what about the costs? An Oxford casino would put tremendous pressure on existing infrastructure to accommodate the concentration of people in one place, people who otherwise might be spending their money in a variety of locations, including other gambling venues like lottery ticket sellers, bingo halls, and race tracks. They will all suffer from cannibalization of the gambling dollars by the casino.

Traffic will snarl and wreck roads. The traffic congestion will require building more roads and bridges to prevent traffic jams at a time when we can't afford to fix the road we have now.

Police, fire, rescue, the local hospital, and public safety providers will be overburdened and the additional property tax revenue generated by the casino will not cover the additional costs to the taxpayers generally.

The "neighborhood" gambling casino will also bring in many people who otherwise would not travel out of state to gamble, spending the money they would otherwise spend in existing businesses, while rates of problem and pathological addiction will rise steeply, along with crime, bankruptcy and divorce rates. This is exactly what has happened around existing neighborhood casinos all over the country.

Casino developers always promise huge revenues, hundreds of jobs and economic development spin-offs for surrounding towns. But their promises just don't live up to reality, and the jobs the casino can bring come with a huge price tag.

I will vote NO on Ballot Question 1. If you are interested in learning more about the proposed casino, I urge you to check out Facebook for information on "Oxford Hills NO on 1," a community of local residents opposed to the casino.

Jeffrey Rosenblatt

Albany Township

WITNESS TO THE END OF PASSENGER RAIL HERE

To the Editor:

The Citizen marked 50 years since the demise of regularly scheduled passenger train service to Bethel under "Our Back Pages" last week. A couple years ago The Citizen also noted the end of the Railway Post Office mail delivery to Bethel via train around 1953. That change in Post Office operations accelerated the end of passenger train here as well as around the entire country through the 1960s.

Although I was only six at the time they ended, we could see the passenger trains come and go from our home on Clark Street in Bethel and my father, Howard Cole, an avid train enthusiast since he was a boy, would explain it all to me. I gained additional interest through the acquaintance of professional trainmen from the Bethel area all of whom are now gone but not forgotten: Walter Jodrey, road master; Ed Quinn, conductor; Elden Hathaway, section foreman; Eddie Gordon, track inspector; and Bethel's last station agent, Larry Chenier.

A few years later the Bethel station would close in 1968 but not before Larry would allow teenagers such as Steve Hastings, also of Bethel, and me to experience day-to-day station operations including: Western Union telegraphy; the creation, typing and delivery of train orders to moving "through" freight trains from the station platform; occasional rides in the local freight or work train engines around the Bethel yard; greeting the Railway Express Agency van (precursor to UPS), shipments and other railroad activity all of which are long gone except the tracks and ten lonely night trains per week.

One last item of note: the Grand Trunk Railroad ran a passenger summer special every Saturday through the 1960s with a scheduled round-trip from Montreal to Portland and back presumably to help Canadian tourists find Old Orchard Beach (there was no Old Port in 1967). My father and I rode the train from the original station across from the Big Apple store on Railroad Street in Bethel one Saturday in 1968 to Portland and back. It was certainly an interesting day for a 14-year-old boy. I'm not sure when the summer specials ended but that was close to the end of regularly scheduled train service to Bethel; at least eight years after the daily train ended in 1960.

Curtis Cole

South Paris

LAKEFRONT OWNERS PAY IN OTHER WAYS

To the Editor:

Guess it's time I put my two cents worth in regarding Upton voters rejecting a whole-town appraisal (Vote: 16 Against and 14 For).

The last few years the taxes have been going up, the land values in particular. It was said in another letter to the editor, that the lake owners showed up more than others. Naturally, we did as the selectmen and others want us on the lake to pay for the rest of the town. We are zoned around the lake and have restrictions on size and what we can and cannot do. It's been this way for years. The latest is you have to have 200-foot frontage on the lake. The rest of the town isn't zoned.

Is that equality? All we get for our taxes are roads, school and town landfill. The more our valuation is, the more the county will get. Now, I hear the selectpersons are to put the issue on the March warrant. Of course, there are several of us that go South in the winter and come back in April. They should get their own way then. If not they will try again.

As of now, the voters have spoken. Will the selectmen honor the will of the people? Wouldn't they be surprised if the March vote had the same result? Do other residents think if the shore owners are taxed more, their taxes won't go up as well? They are in for a big surprise! The property taxes go up, the mill rate goes down, taxes are still higher. I rest my case.

Virginia Williamson

Upton

THANKS FOR THE 90TH MEMORIES

To the Editor:

A surprise 90th Birthday Party was held for me on Sept. 8, 2010, at Pleasant Valley Grange in West Bethel, lovingly prepared by Gemma, Dennis, Shaun, Suzanne, Marty, Greg, Lydia, and on and on. Attending were thoughtful, caring relatives, friends, acquaintances bearing good wishes, gifts and on and on. Entertainment was by The No Name Band, playing songs in my age group. I could go on and on and on, but just let me say, "Thanks for the memories!"

Mary P. Leimbach

Bethel

STILL TIME IN 'LONE STAR' QUILT RAFFLE

To the Editor:

There is still time to buy a ticket for the Bethel Library Quilt Raffle. The drawing of the beautiful "Lone Star" quilt will be held at the Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cookoff on Sept. 18, 2010 at 3:30 p.m. on the Bethel Common.

Tickets are still on sale at the Bethel Library, Bonnama Pottery, Books-N-Things, Mountain Greenery, Pat's Pizza, Pooh Corner Farm and the River View Resort.

Enjoy the Fest, purchase one or more tickets, and win the quilt which the Cross Country Quilters have again made and donated to the Bethel Library. Their labor and generosity are truly appreciated.

Caroline Gould and Lucia Schwarz
Co-Chairmen, Bethel Library Quilt Committee

LETTERS TO THE EDITOR

The deadline for letters to the editor is 4:30 p.m. Monday. Letters submitted after that deadline will be considered for publication when circumstances permit. Send your letters to: Editor, Bethel Citizen, PO Box 109, Bethel, ME 04217-0109. Fax: 824-2426. E-mail: news@bethelcitizen.com.

Our Back Pages

Compiled by Danna Brown

10 years ago: Two Kents Hill School students were found safe, northeast of Goose Eye's West Peak, after becoming separated from their school hiking group.

The boat ramp, built by the Maine Department of Inland Fisheries and Wildlife, on the Androscoggin River in Hanover was completed and opened to the public.

Births: Shawn Michael Mador, Alexander Joseph Todd, Summer Caroline Franklin, Toby John Leighton, Jr.

Deaths: Eva M. Stanzilis, Steven M. Dowland, Lloyd C. Fuller.

20 years ago: There was strong public support for a proposed national wildlife refuge at Lake Umbagog.

Winners in the Andover Elementary School's fattest toad contest were: Lisa Fyberg, Angie Kreiton, Jonathan Downs, Michael and Benjamin Sabin, and Elijah Lemieux.

A three-year project to build a trail to the top of Goose Eye Mountain on public land in Riley Plantation was completed.

Birth: Chelsea Mary Bean!

Death: Gerald W. Meader.

30 years ago: Lindley Wienden was approved as Guidance Counselor at Telstar Regional High School.

Over 200 attended a special Town Meeting in Bethel. Among the projects approved was the development of up to 20 units of elderly housing in the former Thunderbird Motel by Dictar Associates of Portland.

The Rev. Norman F. Rust was serving as interim pastor of the West Parish Congregational Church.

Births: Brian Allen Thorne, August Linda Murphy, Brett Eugene Wilson, Marcy Elizabeth LaVallee.

Death: Dr. F. O'Neil Robertson.

40 years ago: Pleasant Valley Grange held their annual harvest fair at the Grange Hall.

A new furnace recently installed in the West Bethel Union Church was adequate to heat the basement as well as the main church and parlor.

Carroll's Music Center of Auburn presented a demonstration of band instruments for the elementary school pupils of SAD 44.

Births: Stacey Elizabeth Sumner, Amy Elizabeth Paine, Bettie Jo Lightbody, Lynn Deann Andrews.

Deaths: Donald M. Fraser, James Johnston, Mrs. Grace B. Etheridge.

50 years ago: Local schools closed at 2 p.m. on Sept. 12, due to the threat of Hurricane Donna which had caused much damage in the South.

A painting bee was held at Sunday River Skiway to paint the trim on the lodge.

The exhibition hall at Oxford Fair was crowded with displays for the 119th annual fair.

Births: Kelly Ann Jacques, Betty Ann Taylor, Philip James Gauthier.

60 years ago: Charles Frost was given a surprise party on his 82nd birthday at the home of Mr. and Mrs. R. M. Fleet, Sunday River.

Deaths: Miss Herbertina Brooks, Mrs. Annette Silver, Fred M. Cole, John Wilson.

70 years ago: Seventy-five attended the county convention of the Townsend Clubs at Bethaven.

The Hollis Abbott place at Upton burned.

Deaths: Eben S. Kilborn, James Q. Allen.

80 years ago: Leland Coolidge of East Bethel and Charles Day of Locke Mills were injured in an automobile accident near Mechanic Falls.

Deaths: David B. Brown, Clyde C. Jodrey, Fletcher I. Bean, Angelia M. Clark.

90 years ago: The farm buildings of Claude Cushman near Bryant Pond were struck by lightning and burned.

100 years ago: The Grand Trunk was running special trains for two days for Oxford County fair.

James S. Hutchins of Bethel was re-elected president of the Rural Letter Carriers Association.

Death: Mrs. Cyrene Little-nale.

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Letters

FANTASTIC FOOD FRENZY

To the Editor:

We invite the community to the The Fantastic Food Frenzy, a dinner and exhibition, this Friday, 6 p.m. to 7:30 p.m., at the Telstar gymnasium.

This exhibition will feature a display of learning from the "G.O.T. Farms?" group at Telstar, as well as displays from six other western Maine educational gardens.

The dinner is free and will be prepared by volunteers and students with foods grown in each of the participating gardens.

We are all proud to share our harvest and our experiences learning to grow, preserve, and prepare healthy food.

This event is possible because of the efforts and generosity of many people. Last winter the "G.O.T. Farms?" students began selecting seeds, then prepared raised beds, planted the seeds and plants and tended them. During the summer, many Bethel area businesses and individuals volunteered their time to tend the garden and harvest produce.

The students learned about cooking foods from the garden with the ultimate goal of supplying healthy foods the school population.

We thank everyone who has been involved in making The Fantastic Food Frenzy possible. Come out and enjoy a delicious meal prepared by students and volunteers, and see some of the awesome garden projects students are doing.

Melissa Prescott
Telstar Middle School Visual Art Teacher
and "G.O.T. Farms?" Advisor

Sheriff

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Gallant noted. In fact, the hour of day with the single most traffic citations was 2 to 3 a.m. Sunday, when seven were recorded.

For the other six days of the week that hour was citation free. The next busiest period was the two hours from 8 to 10 p.m. Friday, when four citations were issued during each hour.

Gallant told the selectmen that the detailed hourly analysis was provided because "it's pretty important — so you get an idea of what's going on while you're in bed."

Board chairman Stan Howe apparently agreed.

"Most things happen while we're in bed, I guess," he said. Selectman Jack Cross expressed concern about the number of burglaries or unlawful entries.

"You've had eight break-ins," he said to Gallant. "Have you found anything?"

"Those are in the investigative stage right now," Gallant replied. "We certainly have some suspects for them. We know that for sure."

Selectman Bob Everett, who owns Bethel Auto Sales, noted that over the past two years, several auto dealers and garages have had catalytic converters [which contain precious metals] stolen from their lots.

"It wasn't on your watch," he said to the sheriff, "but people have actually jacked the cars up, cut the converters off and gone. Have you looked at any of that?"

The OCSO hadn't worked actively on those older cases, Gallant said, and he characterized such crime as a reflection of a statewide problem.

"But we're trying to work with our legislators on this, because there's got to be some kind of protection. These junk dealers in Portland — If somebody showed up at my junkyard with 36 catalytic converters, there's a reason he got them, and it's probably not legitimate means."

Thefts of copper are a similar problem, he said.

There have been no reported incidents of either form of theft since the SD took over, he said, but there have been

thefts of "tools, firearms, liquor."

These he described as "relatively low-level thefts. So that probably zeros it down to somebody local looking for an opportunity to get liquor or a firearm to try to sell them."

Traffic and schools
Everett then asked about a non-criminal matter.

Drivers headed westbound toward Bethel on Route 26 encounter flashing lights, but no posted speed limits in front of the Telstar complex, he said, "And if you're coming the other way, there's nothing, period."

"And I've had a couple of people say: 'Well, there was a sheriff's car out there, and he kind of pointed at me and wagged his finger at me to slow down. But to what?'"

"I guess that's the question?" Gallant replied that the lights were "cautionary," not "legal."

"The law in the state of Maine says that if you're traveling by a school — whether there's signs or no signs — when kids are going in or coming out, the speed limit is 15."

He said his office has already discussed the matter with SAD 44 administrators, "and they should be getting some signs that say 15 miles per hour."

But, he added, "there's no law that says those signs have to be there."

"We have a car that stops there with the blue lights on," the sheriff said. "Not to stop cars, but just to show that the police are there, every morning, and it has slowed the traffic down."

Gallant said he hasn't seen a great deal of enforcement of the 15-MPH speed law, but another school-related traffic law is a different matter entirely.

That's the one requiring drivers to stop when school buses put their flashing lights on.

"It's zero tolerance," the sheriff said.

And there doesn't have to be a police car there at the time of the incident. School-bus drivers, he said, are trained to quickly gather the information needed to help police identify the offending vehicle.

Contract

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ments from the other selectmen, Chair Stan Howe called for a vote, and the motion passed four to one, with Bob Everett the lone dissenter.

Asked later why he voted against the new contract, Everett said his decision was based on the financial ramifications, not Doar's performance to date.

"I like Jim Doar. I think he's doing a good job. It's the financial aspect," Everett said.

"It's just not the time: People are losing their homes, losing their jobs."

Doar was hired in June of 2009. His current salary is \$54,500.

Under the terms of the new

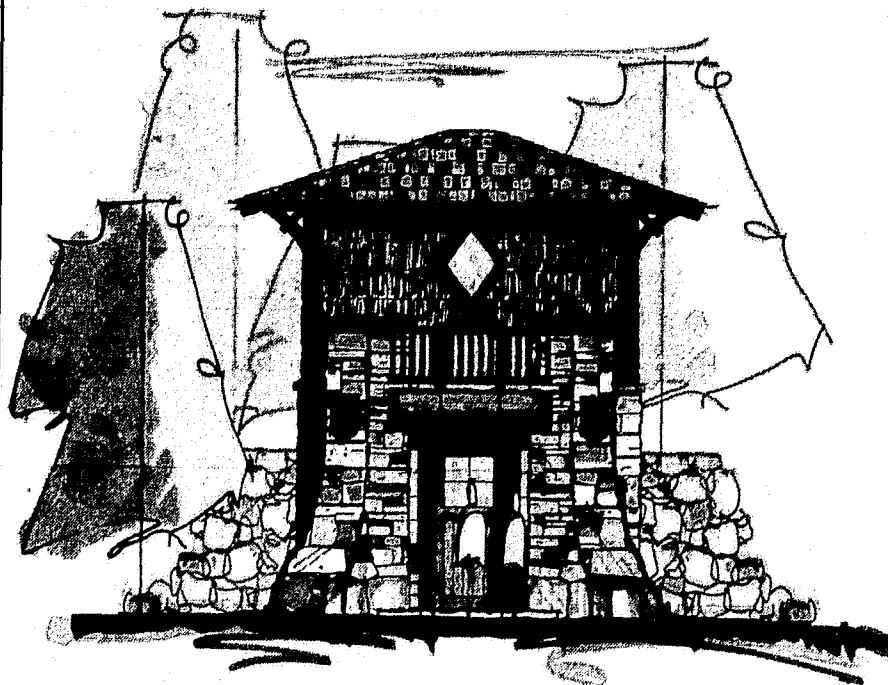
contract, he will make \$56,500 in 2011, \$58,760 in 2012 and \$61,100 in 2013.

Doar said Monday he was "thrilled" with his new contract, adding: "It's really an honor to be the town manager in Bethel."

"It's great working for this Board of Selectmen, and I'm flattered that they think highly enough of the work that's been done over the last 14 months to want to ensure that kind of continuity for town government."

"My family and I are really excited about being able to live and work in Bethel for at least another four years, and hopefully beyond that," Doar said.

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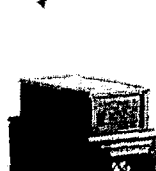
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Arson

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St., residence, which was in the name of C. Mellen Kimball. Both properties were destroyed.

Tyler had been a volunteer with the Greenwood Fire Department for about two months and responded to the fire station on Greenwood Road after the fire was called in. Tyler, who lives 1.2 miles from the station, became a suspect in the fire because he arrived at the station at the same time as a volunteer firefighter who lives about one-tenth of a mile from the station.

Assistant District Attorney Joe O'Connor said the Kimball property was insured and the insurance company was requesting \$242,000 for the payout to the owner. He recommended a restitution payment to Connor, since he did not have insurance and estimated the loss at \$65,000. O'Connor said Connor used the residence for vacations, was in the process of restoring the property, and lost antiques and family heirlooms stored in the building.

O'Connor recommended that Tyler serve a maximum prison sentence of four years. He said Tyler has no criminal record, has been working full time, and will likely be able to make regular restitution payments. O'Connor said the sentence should not diminish the severity of the crimes, however.

"It's always important in these cases to remember there are people," he said. "There are victims."

O'Connor said that in addition to the property owners' loss, Tyler put the lives of firefighters at risk.

Defense lawyer Maurice Porter said the proposed sen-

tence was heavy when compared against other arson convictions, including one-year sentences given to two people implicated in a fire that destroyed a lobsterman's boat, Porter said that unlike many other arson fires, Tyler's conduct was not done for money or revenge and was also set at a "clearly unoccupied" building.

Porter said that while Tyler's psychological evaluation did identify some issues, including some antisocial tendencies, they could not be resolved in a prison environment. He recommended a one-year sentence.

Loretta Sanborn of Maine Pretrial Services said Tyler was under severe stress when she first met him, having lost his job due to a medical issue. She said he has since reunited with his family, is eager to work to support them and pay off debts, and agreed to counseling.

"I couldn't have asked for a better client," she said.

Tyler briefly addressed the court, saying he would accept any punishment the court handed down.

"I do accept responsibility," he said. "I can't tell you why I did it, but I did do it."

Clifford said he felt the dangers presented by the arson and the loss of property were aggravating factors in the case, but also cited Tyler's commitment to work, steps taken to accept responsibility, and relatively young age as mitigating factors. He said Tyler's probation officer will determine how much money he will need to pay toward restitution each month.

Land

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water supply. In 2007, a flood filled the brook and reservoir with gravel and debris, essentially destroying the system as a source of water. New wells were then drilled on the North Road.

The BWD Board of Trustees then had to deal with another provision in Bingham's deed: "Provided, however, that if said tract of land shall ever be abandoned as a source of such water supply or cease to be used as such, then in such case, the title to said land shall pass in fee simple to the State of Maine to be by it forever held, maintained and managed as a public game preserve, bird or game sanctuary, public park or State Forest reserve as said State may determine, and under such conditions as said State may prescribe and designate; and in such case the said Bethel Water Company, its successors or assigns, shall execute all necessary instruments of conveyance to give title to said tract to said State of Maine."

Last year the BWD board went to the AG and sought to modify Bingham's trust, in order to keep the watershed as a backup water source, and to allow expanded wood harvesting. The additional revenue was intended provide relief in water rates and otherwise benefit customers. The district also wanted to create recreational trails (primarily hiking and snowmobile) on the parcel, as well as maintain Chapman Brook as an emergency source of water. Trustees also wanted to clarify a long-standing lease arrangement with Sunday River Ski Resort for an 8.4-acre parcel at the top of the watershed.

But rather than keep the land with the BWD or transfer it to the state, the consent order proposes another option: that "the Town of Bethel is an appropriate trustee to oversee the use of the Bingham Land as the Water District's emergency backup water supply

and as a preserve, sanctuary, park or forest reserve."

The order cites the legal doctrine of *cy pres*, under which a court has the power to order that "a charitable trust be applied to a charitable purpose different from that named by the trustor, where the settlor [Bingham] had an intent to benefit charity and the accomplishment of the settlor's charitable purpose is impossible or impractical."

Forestry, buffers, lease

The order requires a forest management plan be put in place that would conserve

Superior Court against the BWD to enforce the terms of the trust deed and "grant such other and further relief as justice requires, including application of the doctrine of *cy pres* or equitable deviation if appropriate."

But a letter to BWD chairman Brent Angevine says that the AG would prefer to reach an agreement with the BWD and Bethel prior to filing the court case.

The letter recommends that the town and the BWD review the documents with legal counsel, and then arrange to

that was the reason the town discontinued use of the Chapman Brook."

Angevine said Tuesday that there are options for several levels of repair, which were discussed last fall when the board first proposed keeping the land as a backup source.

In an emergency, he said, "We could probably have it back in some fashion in 24 hours," as the BWD did in 2007. "It wouldn't take too much to get water from it," he said. A "boil water" order would be required, however.

On another level, sections of old piping could be replaced and the impoundment area cleaned out, said Angevine.

As for the consent order itself, he said it would be discussed at the BWD monthly meeting Tuesday. He declined to comment on the proposal until the full board has considered it.



BWD EMBOUNDMENT, following the July 2007 flood. (Bethel Citizen file photo)

Uncertainty for town

Town Manager Jim Doar said Tuesday that he expects a special Town Meeting will be called, but the timing and circumstances are yet to be determined.

He said there are many questions regarding the financial implications of providing a backup system. "We'll have to have a decision from the selectmen on how much they want to put into it," he said.

But, he said, he does not expect the board to dismiss the option out of hand. "Something will be brought to the voters," he said.

Doar also said the impoundment area and piping that remains is located on land that will continue to be owned by the BWD regardless of who is responsible for the Bingham parcel, and it's not clear what the arrangement might be with the district to maintain it.

He said town officials would be accompanied by legal counsel at the meeting with AG representatives.

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The Way I See It

by Sharon Bouchard

Fashion week in New York brings a lot of excitement to the fashion-conscious. The fashion magazine people, the buyers for trendy shops and some of the rich and famous gather to ooh and aah over the latest styles in women's clothing design.

The clothing critics carry on about what's hot and what's not and which clothing designers are geniuses and which ones are duds.

All of this pretty much passes me by. No one has ever mistaken me for a fashion model or for that matter having any fashion sense at all. That's okay with me, I am who I am and make no apologies for that.

When I see some of the film clips or magazine pictures from fashion week of models strutting their stuff on the runway wearing the "latest" design from Paris or London I'm kind of glad I am who I am.

One twiggy-size model I saw was wearing puffy camo capris, 5" spike heels, a very odd looking black blouse and bedecked with lots of expensive jewelry. This one ugly outfit was meant to be worn at cocktail parties or other semi-formal occasions. I personally wouldn't wear it to the dump even if I could afford it. But, maybe that's just me.

It seems to me that some of the very famous fashion designers are doing everything they can to make women look ridiculous. What are they thinking????

Okay, I'll admit it, I'm not very knowledgeable in haute couture, but I don't think very many people in my neighborhood are. Many of us shop at the Backyard Boutique or someone's yard sale, but most of us do have enough fashion sense not to wear polka dots and plaids at the same time, so I guess we are okay.

"That's okay with me, I am who I am and make no apologies for that."

I'll even admit that as my waist thickens I find polyester blends with elastic waistbands to be a preference, but that'd doesn't mean I can't look respectable when I go out in public.

However, I do see others out in public that I do have to wonder about. When did wearing flannel pajama bottoms as pants become fashionable? Though it is mostly younger people I have seen several older people shopping at WalMart in their pajamas.

And what about blue jeans with holes and fraying knees on the racks in stores with pretty hefty price tags? Whenever any of my jeans reach this point I resort to iron-on patches. When the patches start to peel off I throw

them away. I certainly don't walk around with my bare knees sticking out.

I guess my age is telling on me when I think back fondly of poodle skirts and petticoats. I do recall from my youthful years the fuller the skirt and the more petticoats we could wear under it the better we thought we looked.

Then there was the period in my late teens and early twenties when hip hugging bell-bottom pants were all the rage. So, I guess I was a slave to fashion trends myself at one time. If hip-hugging bell-bottom pants became fashionable again I doubt that I would wear them now. I have a little too much hip to hug and my bottom is already pretty well belled.

It's been many years since I've been very concerned with fashion trends. There have been some trends that I have embraced such as women wearing slacks in the workplace. Some, like micro-mini skirts I haven't been too fond of even when I had the legs to show off.

The worst outfits I seen in a long time are those worn by Lady Gaga such as the meat covered gown she wore at the Video Music Awards recently, but I can't imagine her get-ups will ever become a trend. If they do...well, the way I see it those flannel pajama bottoms would start looking pretty darn good.

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Five arrested for unlicensed sales

From the OCSD:

On Sept. 14 at approximately 4 p.m. several complaints were reported to the Oxford County Sheriff's Office Bethel Division of suspicious males attempting to sell cleaning products door to door in different locations in the Town of Bethel. Deputy Dennis Ryder responded and located two of the subjects and found one subject in the act of going door-to-door demonstrating and attempting to sell a cleaning product.

These same subjects had been in Mexico on this same date and had received a stern warning and were told to stop the sales without a license or face being arrested. The Sheriff's Office had also received an intelligence bulletin reporting several subjects in the Lewiston/Auburn area who were not licensed for Transient Sales in Maine who were also summonsed and told to cease the door-to-door sales (All selling the same cleaning product).

Based on this information and the fact that the subjects had refused to seek proper licensing for such activity even after being warned, the subjects were arrested for the violation. Deputy Ryder arrested the two subjects shortly after they were located and subsequently broadcasted the vehicle description and Nevada registration to other units in the area.

At approximately 5 p.m. Deputy George Cayer located the suspect vehicle and stopped it on Route 2 West Bethel and arrested the two subjects in this vehicle. Both were found to have checks and sales receipts on their person from Bethel citizens and businesses.

Shortly thereafter the fifth person was located on Barker Road in West Bethel after Trooper Paul Casey was flagged down by a concerned Bethel citizen. Casey took him into custody.

Arrested were Michael A. Bourgoin, 21, of Turner; Thomas J. McComb, 20, of Pawtucket, R.I.; Jesse R. Lumbert, 21, of Granby, Mass.; Lorenzo L. Thorpe Jr., 26, of Virginia Beach, Va.; and Terry Weyandt, 48, of Reno, Nev. All were transported to the county jail without incident. Bail was set on four of the subjects at \$200 cash and the fifth subject (Terry Weyandt) who claimed to be the manager of the group was found to be wanted in Tennessee for the same type of crime, had bail set at \$600 cash.

OCSD Bethel Patrol Log:

Monday, Sept. 13

At 10 a.m. Sheriff Wayne Gallant received a complaint regarding a harassing phone call received by a juvenile on Church Street. Deputy Mike Parshall was assigned to the incident.

At 3:30 p.m. Cpl. Justin Brown received a report of a subject on the East Bethel Road who might be in violation of his conditions of release.

Sunday, Sept. 12

At 10:45 a.m. Deputy Mike Parshall and Capt. Hart Dailey assisted a National Forest ranger in an investigation.

Saturday, Sept. 11

At 6:06 p.m. Deputies Mike Halacy and George Cayer responded to the East Bethel Road for a report of possible criminal threatening. David C. Vanboskirk, 47, of Bethel was arrested for criminal threatening.

Friday, Sept. 10

At 1:40 p.m. Deputy Mike Parshall received a report of a vehicle on Route 26 with debris coming out of a trailer it was hauling. The officer stopped the vehicle and had the owner pick up the items and secure the load. A warning was issued.

At 11:53 p.m. Sgt. Tim Holland and Deputy Mike Halacy responded to Jonathan Clark Lane regarding a possible domestic fight. Investigation showed an argument had taken place but there was no assault or crime committed.

Thursday, Sept. 9

At 6:03 a.m. Deputy Robert Ryder responded to Paradise Road for a welfare check.

At 7:18 p.m. Sgt. Matt Baker took a report from a caller regarding possible abuse.

At 11:11 p.m. Sgt. Tim Holland, Sgt. Matt Baker and Deputy George Cayer received a report from a hospital that two subjects in the ER with knife wounds might have been in a fight in Bethel. The subjects did not want to report it. Deputy Cayer went to the hospital while the other officers remained in Bethel for further information, but the victims refused to cooperate at all. Both had minor wounds. Information was passed on to another jurisdiction that had reported an assault earlier in the evening.

Wednesday, Sept. 8

At 6:23 a.m. Deputy Mike Halacy responded to the East Bethel Road for a car-moose accident.

At 12:34 p.m. Deputy Dennis Ryder took a report of prescription medication missing from a Jonathan Clark Lane location.

Tuesday, Sept. 7

At 6:58 p.m. Deputies Mike Halacy and Chris Davis responded to the Goss Pond Road for a report of young people hanging banners on a cliff after being told not to. The subjects ran from the area when the deputies arrived.

At 7:59 p.m. Deputy Mike Halacy took a report of items missing from Dumont Circle.

Rail

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land to Lewiston-Auburn.

"It's less of a serious look from Lewiston-Auburn to Montreal," she said.

But, Moreau added, "This piece right here to Bethel is different. You've already done some work here, there's a train station, there was service here. We have that to look at."

The train station was built in the early 1990s, and ski train service operated for two years until it was discontinued because of meager ridership.

Enthusiastic support

There was plenty of support and ideas Thursday for bringing back trains.

"European visitors love to travel," said Chad McGrew of the River View Resort, "but they don't

so much like to rent cars. If they can fly into Portland or Boston and climb into mass transportation, and can get up to the Bethel area and catch the Mt. Explorer and get all over the area, we're going to double or triple what we can do with European visitors, and that could be year round."

Jan Stowell said retirees would support a train.

"I feel very strongly that with folks coming in with the ski area, a lot of people are now making this a destination community. As we age, we are not going to be able to drive. I'd be on that train so fast to get to Portland … we need it for transportation."

Rich Allen, of the River Valley Chamber of Commerce in Rumford, said he believes that community would use nearby rail service.

"Any investment in infrastructure that's 30 minutes away can't hurt," he said. He said a Rumford resident told him, "If I can drive 30 minutes to Bethel and jump on a train to Boston, I'm all for it."

Matt Hancock, owner of Mt. Abram Ski Resort, said that the St. Lawrence & Atlantic tracks pass near Mt. Abram's parking lot. He described his vision for train service.

"I can just envision a train full of people from New York and Boston, and the European fliers. It's an incredible corridor. Close your eyes and you get it immediately. Boston to Portland, and the second largest city in Maine, and by No-

vember maybe up through a resort casino in Oxford, through the destination for skiing in the state of Maine, with two great resorts served out of one community, and up to great cities and great towns beyond that. It seems like the numbers will be there. It's a unique opportunity. How do we fast track this?"

Jay Duncan, of AECOM of Boston, the consultant doing the study for MDOT, said the key for success, and the timing for how quickly it might happen, "is how you pay for it. We'll have a better sense at the end of the [study] process."

Steve Wight of Newry wondered what might be happening up the tracks from Bethel.

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"Are there similar efforts happening in New Hampshire and Vermont, and Quebec? Does Montreal know we're coming?" he asked.

Moreau noted that a development minister from Quebec was at the meeting.

Making the case

Robin Zinchuk, executive director of the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, continued Wight's line of questioning.

"We have partners 25 miles to west in New Hampshire, in northern Vermont, and folks in Montreal. What does advocacy require?"

"I would think that both federal governments would respond much more rigorously to advocacy in three states and a province than to just Bethel."

"AECOM will identify who to talk to and what barriers are," said Moreau.

"If the numbers are there to look at Montreal, the next step would be to get partnerships together. We want you to come to the next meeting, when we start to get some in-

formation back. We want your reaction to where the stations would be, what the route would look like."

But Tony Donovan, of the Maine Rail Transit Coalition (and also a member of the BACC Transportation Committee), suggested a more proactive stance.

"Don't wait for this study," he said. "Do something. Don't wait for MDOT to come back. An advocacy group is a great idea. I suggest you get moving in that direction, and generate interest from the local level up."

He said that approach had worked for a rail project along the Intermountain Division line, from Portland through Fryeburg.

Duncan said the Bethel area could help its cause by providing data to show there would be significant ridership on a train. "If you can show a lot of people come from outside and it's a major draw, it helps build that case," he said.

Information on the numbers of skiers visiting the area, where they come from, and how long they stay would also help, he said.

Letters of support and statements on what rail service would mean to local businesses would also be valuable, the transportation officials said.

Moreau said there are federal funding programs specific to rural areas. To be competitive for such funding, she said, "We need to show we have our act together, and we also have local support — and that equals funding."

For example, she said, communities on the Downeaster line from Portland to Boston own the stations in their communities and pay for their operation.

On Monday, Zinchuk said the chamber's Transportation Committee will meet Oct. 13.

"This group will determine what the next steps are in our rail advocacy," she said.

Zinchuk also gathered names and e-mail addresses at the meeting, "and will utilize that for future communication and possibly advocacy purposes," she said.

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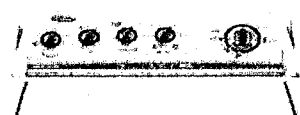
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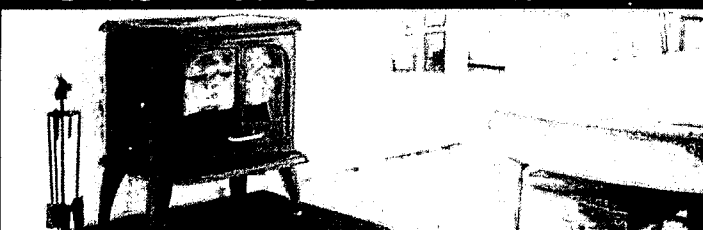
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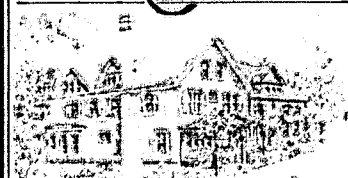
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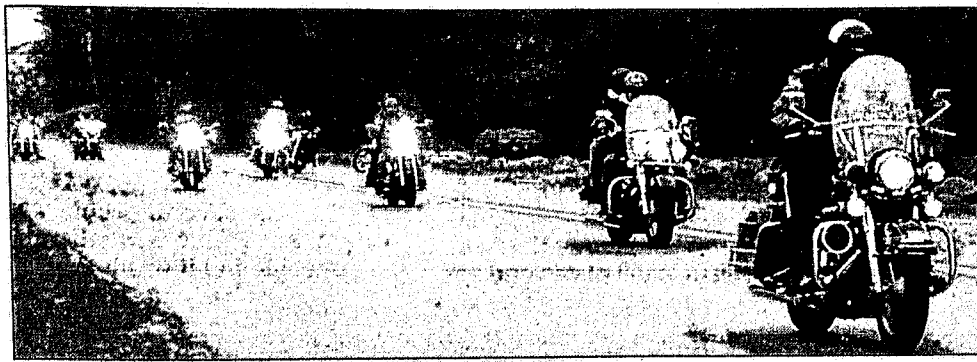
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FUNDRAISER RIDE—About 50 motorcycles rolled through Gilead on Route 2 Sunday on the 3rd annual Arnold Dugmore Ride for MS, stopping at the White Mountain National Forest picnic area for a break. For more on the event, see the Gilead column, Page 8.
(Photos: L. Chapman)

Bethel

By Donald Bennett

Coming Up:

Saturday, Sept. 18 - Harvestfest and Chowdah Cook-off on the Common; Bethel Historical Society Barn Tour - self-guided tour of a dozen or more local barns from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m.

Tuesday, 6 p.m., Sept. 28th at the Bethel Town Office - public hearing on the project to reconstruction the Route 2 Bridge over the railroad - spring of 2011.

Monday, Oct. 11, at 7 p.m. - Bethel Selectmen's regular meeting for October.

Locke Summit work

Throughout August and continuing this month, excavation and road-grading work has been going on along the access road and future large retention pond for the Locke Summit development on the Sunday River Road. Nichols Bros., Inc. of Rumford is doing the work. Work on the access road should be completed during the next 30 days.

The entry has been redesigned by Kathy Ford Landscape Architecture. There will be two ponds, hopefully available for ice skating, perennial plantings, and evergreens. Masonry work has started on a natural-stacked stone sign kiosk.

The name of the subdivision has been changed to "Locke Summit" to reflect a simple, comfortable, and affordable mountain lifestyle. There are attractive buy and build options with outstanding local builders. Subdivision plans call for paved roads, underground utilities and two-plus acre lots for under \$100K. Dream Realty is the project's marketing center; their office is conveniently located in the Newry Post Office Plaza building.

Rail Feasibility Study

Wednesday afternoon at the Bethel Inn, about 70 from Bethel and other interested persons listened to a presentation followed by a Q & A session about a study to extend rail passenger service from the Downeaster terminal in Portland to Auburn and on to Montreal. Such a plan would pass by Bethel and use the Bethel railroad station. One of the study's objectives, and a grant seeking inducement, is to improve economic development in rural areas, i.e., Bethel and western Maine tourism.

Maine DOT is the study leader and the Androscoggin Valley Council of Governments is a cooperating agency. The current study is due for completion in December 2010. If the study says the next step is feasible, a decade or more years would pass before anyone got off the train in Bethel. A host of other hurdles would have to be crossed before a train whistle is heard.

The study group is not considering commuter trains but intercity trains with the first two cities being Portland and Auburn. One rule of planning thumb that came out - the more stops the fewer riders - sorry South Paris! Bethel is a likely stop because it has a station and it has established tourism. The study/planners are sticking to existing rail corridors at this point. (And we have working rails.)

An hour of the hearing was devoted to questions and comments. Maine is doing this on its own for now. (Earlier comments from MDOT have indicated that there is some Montreal interest in passenger service in our direction - Old Orchard Beach, of course.) Maine's most probable reason for not involving New Hampshire and Vermont at this point is to avoid competition from the other two states. In the concept being studied, a new Auburn station would be built near the Lewiston/Au-

burn airport and near the inter-modal transfer yard. No one brought up the what-if of radically higher gas prices as incentive to switch to rail.

Grand Trunk/Canadian National passenger and mail service to Bethel ended in 1960.

The presenters brought up the point that the \$55 billion being considered to boost the economy via national transportation infrastructure rebuilding is a favorable omen for Maine rail expansion projects. For more details about the study go to the following website: <http://atrc.geekteam.com/public/index.cfm?fuseaction=articles.view&id=10358>

Mill Hill Inn open house

Woody and Lee Hughes threw open the doors of their Mill Hill Inn to the public on Thursday evening. A flood of community residents came for a chance to see the inn's makeover, socialize and nibble. It was only two weeks and a day since Gould Academy had held a reception that had attracted many of the same usual suspects. The crowd seemed to be more than enjoying themselves. The "new" inn on Mill Hill must have very favorably impressed all who toured the guest rooms; they exude an image of warm, country hospitality. If the innkeeper chooses to tend bar of an evening, the cozy placement of bar, sofa and fireplace allows him to fill the place that the legendary Claus Weisse held for many years at the Norseman Inn back in the '60s. Guests love to feel that the owner is part of their company and the arrangement of this most important part of the inn is perfect for that role.

The new inn's billboard - B&B Lodging, Casual Dining, Cocktails, Private Parties, Weddings.

Gourmet in a Pinch catered the event; the kitchen was busy and young men with trays of hors d'oeuvres were

weaving through the crowd.

And where did this inn come from? Talking briefly with Amy Davis, she recalled that it was G.L. Thurston who had moved the building, then a barn, (in the early 1940s?) to where it is now. Recently Richard "Dick" Douglass chuckled over remembering how in the '40s the "Scarborough boys" who lived at the Philbrook/Roberts/Harrington farm rode their horses to school. Dick would hear the horses galloping along Bridge Street while he was waiting for the school bus. The boys stabled their horses in the "GL" barn during school hours. Then around 1948, Peter Schutt, who was Bethel Inn's manager, bought the building and converted it into his home and inn. Guy Butler, who later owned the Bethel Inn, and had succeeded in keeping Mr. Schutt on as manager for a year, suspected Mr. Schutt of occasionally skimming away some of the Bethel Inn guests to his lodging place.

SAD44 Bus Drivers training and education

You could say that as society evolves a school bus driver's awareness and capabilities have to keep up with changes in human behavior. Today a new SAD 44 school bus driver applicant should plan on about eight weeks before he or she is qualified to drive a school bus.

To start, a new prospective driver is fingerprinted, given a physical exam which is followed up with annual physicals plus entering a drug and alcohol testing program. The new driver must have a commercial driver's license with an S/P (School Bus, Passenger) endorsement for driving school buses.

Training includes classes on leadership skills for tasks on the bus such as problem solving and decision making. Also a driver is trained in appropriate conflict resolution

and public relations. There is a student management set of classes which focus on how to work with students of different grades - and most importantly, defensive driving training. The largest buses can carry up to 84 students.

School bus safety training for students is given at least twice a year; this covers how to wait for the bus, being a good student on the bus and how to disembark properly and safely.

Drivers also annually attend 30 hours of training with a combination of hands-on and a classroom setting, usually at Crescent Park School. Guest speakers at workshops may come from the Department of Education or in-house such as a workshop on suicide prevention.

With 16 daily bus routes to cover, it is necessary to keep 21 fully-qualified drivers available to cover gaps occasioned by illness or other emergencies.

Canoe Mania

Last week's canoe extravaganza at Songo Pond raised a question or two about the pond's having turned more private than the public place it used to be. During my school days it was "The" summer recreation place and there were different kinds of canoes and boats for very low rental fees. Norma Salway's new book captures many scenes of what I remember from the 1940s and '50s. Just recently I talked with Norma on the phone about the canoes in her book's photos. From the dress of the people in some of the photos their canoeing clothes date to at least the late 1920s if not earlier. If you haven't read her book, "The Spirit of Songo," get a copy; see what you are missing. When I checked at Books N Things on Saturday, they were out but the Bethel Historical Society's gift shop/museum store has copies for sale.

A clean Androscoggin has

cleared the way for canoes and kayaks to be a top seller for Bethel's summer recreation. Gould Academy, Outward Bound, Sun Valley Sports and Bethel Outdoor Adventure keep canoe trailers on the go up and down the Androscoggin and to points north. Vacation-time canoe trips seem for the most part to take the easy way out - drifting or paddling leisurely downstream. You know folks; canoes were made for general transportation which included going upstream too - poling against the current with your gear, food and supplies in the canoe.

Two other good books to read if you are interested in heritage canoeing, wilderness adventures and the like are Henry David Thoreau's "Maine Woods" circa 1857 and "Chasing Danforth, A Wilderness Calling" by Robert W. Cook. The former contains accurate detailed descriptions of wilderness canoeing, the latter has some excellent illustrations and photos; also it introduces the Rangeley Boat and the Magalloway Boat. My personal interest - the Danforth era was also the era when my great-grandfather, John Olson, who was also great grandfather to some of the Angevine family in Bethel - lived in Wilson Mills and was a well-known guide in the Danforth circle of sportsmen and Camp Caribou people. Both books cover the non-vacation/real life element of canoe travel known as portaging. Thoreau tells how his Indian guide prepared his canoe for carrying and the Danforth book has good illustrations.

Selectmen's meeting

In brief: Sheriff Wayne Gallant gave a report on the first 75 days of Bethel coverage by his department. He said that the transition was smooth and they had received compliments from the schools

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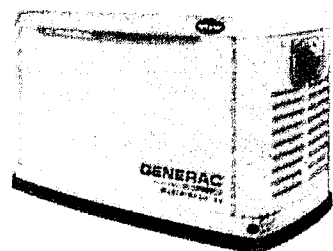
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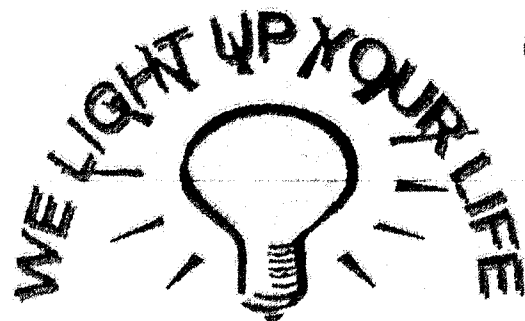
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At a previous meeting the selectmen voted 4-1 to extend Town Manager James Doran's contract for two years to 2014. (SunJournal news)

Currently the Town of Bethel website is up to date on selectmen's meetings and planning board agenda. To quickly and easily find out about "new" business look at www.bethelmaine.org



West Bethel

By Lorrie Hoeh

Last Friday Mike and I had no sooner arrived at the Bethel Inn Lake House for the Outing Club meeting and potluck supper, than we were whisked into the 26-foot-long war canoe (lent by Sonny Hastings) for a quick paddle around Song Pond with eight other paddlers. Jeff Parsons paddled stern, and Martha Siegel paddled bow. The rest of us just paddled. Amazing how fast that antique canoe could go with ten paddlers moving it.

Afterward we enjoyed the aforementioned potluck and the accompanying visiting and schmoozing. Met some new folks and reconnected with old acquaintances. The rains held off, so it was a pleasant evening.

Last week I talked about how it was beginning to feel like fall. Well, it is, but it is coming on much later than it used to. When we moved to the Flat Road in March of 1987, for the first several years we were there, we regularly had our last spring frost around June 10, and our first "fall" frost about Aug. 22. This year our last frost was sometime in mid-May, and as of this writing the first fall frost has yet to happen. Try to convince me that the climate isn't changing.

The other day Jake and I

headed down the Paradise Hill ski trail behind the houses on the west side of Paradise. There we found an amazing variety of exotic-looking mushrooms. One that I was able to identify was bright yellow, and consisted of a cluster of hollow, slender tubes about three or four inches high. Its name is clavulinopsis fustiformis, and as far as I know, it is inedible. But striking and interesting to see. Alas, I was unable to zero in on the others.

Mike has rigged a birdbath of sorts, using an inverted trash can lid on a tree stump. He placed a large rock in its center to stabilize it. It has been a great success, and the birds are (so to speak) flocking to it. They drink, they bathe, they congregate and visit.

They are also rapidly diminishing our supplies of sunflower seeds and thistle seeds.

Large numbers of goldfinches, purple finches, chickadees, nuthatches, titmice, pine siskins, cardinals, and of course the blue jay bullies are at all the feeder trays and tubes. These birds provide endless enjoyment to both of us. We have noticed, however, that

the hummingbirds seem to have flown the coop.

Sunday morning we drove out to Broken Bridge Pond. Our intent was to hike on a new road that has been cleared in the vicinity and find out where it leads. Turns out it took us to the other side of Broken Bridge, where the Forest Service has built a new dam. Even with the dam boards in place, though, the water level seemed low. We seem to be getting just dribs and drabs of rain here and there, but not enough to raise streams and ponds. That said, the next hurricane will probably bring us some gullywashers.

On Monday we headed to Freeport and L.L. Bean's for a bit of shopping. It seems that every time we go there something has changed or been added, or both. This time it was a huge addition comprising the hunting and fishing department. Needless to say, Mike had a great time there replenishing some of his fly-tying materials and just window shopping.

Late lunch at the Muddy Rudder, and then we headed

DBA: Mill Hill Inn

The Mill Hill Inn, which opened recently in Bethel Village near the Common, offers casual dining and bar, a bed & breakfast, and an art gallery/studio. Owner/potter Woody Hughes will specialize this fall in small plates and appetizers with a changing menu, "as we explore what's popular," he said. (Check the Citizen each week for the following week's menu.) The chefs at Bethel's Gourmet in a Pinch will provide the fare. The Inn is also available for private parties and weddings. As a potter, Hughes will provide all the dishes from which diners will eat. Hughes' working studio will be located in the basement, and he plans to set up gallery space that will feature both 3- and 2D art by Christmas. He is shown here with his wife, Lee.

ourselves in good health but my sympathies to those who are under the weather, reading this from the confines of their sick beds. Lately I have run into several people who are struggling with allergies or colds and it seems that the weather has turned for the season. Autumn has arrived, ready or not!

One of the many perks, if you are of a mind to enjoy fall, is that Fair season is upon us! The Big O in Oxford is running this week and we are hoping to attend. Last year I got a glimpse of its inner workings when I helped a friend to show her goats. There were more than 40 goats there! I had never actually seen a goat show before and now, a year later I find myself eager to show my own goats. My favorite goat, Espri, has the potential to be shown. I was fortunate enough to trace her back to her original owner and discovered that she is Recorded Grade, meaning that we can prove her to be 75 percent Saanen-25 percent Alpine through registered parents. I hope to go through the appropriate steps to have her

Newry

By Seneca Corriveau

Firstly, I would like to apologize for not submitting an article last week. Rather than typing and making phone calls, I spent a few days instead on the couch. Grimly, I took my turn as a nasty, but brief, tummy bug ripped through our family. A week later we find

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Now the pressure is on to finally decide on an actual name for my herd and our farm. Espri is milking three quarts twice a day, so if my math is correct we are getting a gallon and a half per day from her alone. She is a bountiful milker, providing enough for her two girls, our two pigs and the occasional batch of string cheese as well. I thank her each time for her wonderful milk with a few pats and a scratch or two and she in turn rewards me with a little nuzzle on my neck, which in goat means "you're welcome."

The Mahoosuc Mountain Lodge will be holding its Fall Wellness Weekend Oct. 16 and 17 with "Five practitioners offering their services throughout the weekend. Why not take some time to relax, reflect and treat yourself to a restful, inspiring weekend!" For more info or to register you can contact Polly Mahoney at info@mahoosuc.com or 824-2073. I know of several women here in Newry who have taken advantage of the massage a time or two in years past, a true delight for tired muscles I was told.

I noticed the other day, while driving by, that Norman's farm stand looks fit to bust at the seams, overflowing with assorted vegetables. His gardens have produced quite well this year as have mine. I may even, don't faint now, have my first ever crop of corn! The ears have silks and are 6 to 8 inches long but still haven't filled out yet; I sure hope they do. You may remember me mentioning this spring that I have never had a successful crop in all my years of planting corn, just lots of practice hilling. I'm not going to hold my breath mind you nor count my chickens either but I do hope that this is the year!

Not to dwell on the farm but I couldn't help but mention our funny ha, ha with counting chickens before they hatch. As summer pro-

gressed here, our supply of eggs seemed to drop off rather severely and periodically we find out why. Every so often, either, Kaiya, Samuel or Benny will come running to the house with excited reports of baby chicken sightings. We've never had hens go "broody" before so this has been fun and funny. So far we have three mamas with their chicks and two more (that we know of) sitting on proudly-guarded nests. But who knows what the head or rather "hen" count will be before snow flies!

Lastly, an update on previously mentioned craft fair interest. Mandy Berry and myself have received positive feedback and we are thinking possibly Oct. 23. More info to come -- stay tuned!

Contact me sabcart@gmail.com or the good ole fashioned way at 824-0836 Bless and keep until next week!

Gilead

By Lin Chapman

The weather turned cold this past weekend so it seems more like fall.

My brother, Steve McLain, stopped by the house and dropped off some squash, tomatoes and cucumbers from his garden last weekend.

Lise McLain took her father, Gerard Dupont, to Gorham for his doctor's appointment last week. They stopped at Mr. Piza for lunch afterward.

Remember to stop by the yard sale at the Town Hall this weekend.

On Sunday morning, we heard several motorcycles coming into town from the North Road, and they went into the White Mountain National Forest Picnic Area for a break. Since there were about fifty of them, with a motorcycle with blue lights as their escort, we decided to check it out and see what was going on.

We spoke to Kathy DeLuca and she explained that they were participating in the Third Annual Arnold Dugmore Ride for MS. This was to honor her father, Arnold Dug-

more, who died in a motorcycle accident in 2007, and to raise money for Multiple Sclerosis. Her husband, Dan, was diagnosed with MS in 2007.

They started from the Smilin' Moose in South Paris and were riding up through Evans Notch, through Fryeburg, Brownfield, Bridgton and back to South Paris. Last year there were only thirteen participants. The riders were mostly from Maine, but there was one from Cape Cod, Mass. They were hoping that the rain would hold off until they returned to South Paris and joined in the events that were happening there to help raise money for this worthy cause. Each year the event increases in size and the amount of funds that they raise.

Got any news? Call 836-2987 or email chapmal@hotmail.com.

Upton

By Laurie Brown

The Ladies Aid Association is planning some fall activities -- such as a Hunter's breakfast on Nov. 6 and a Hunter's supper on Nov. 20.

Members would like to be able to offer Sunday breakfasts again this year. However, membership is low and in order to accomplish this service help will be needed from community volunteers -- to cook, to take orders and serve breakfasts. If you can help, please contact Carol Norman at smilinggabby@yahoo.com or Laurie Brown at lauriebrown400@gmail.com or by calling 533-2111.

The Ladies Aid is also planning to publish an update on the last Upton cookbook which was published in 1992. They would like stories and/or pictures depicting some differences in recipes, cooking techniques and appliances between "back in the day" and modern kitchens and cooking. Of course your recipes are wanted as well -- new and/or old. Members are still working on an Upton phone book. Leslie Aron told her daugh-

ter, Judy, that she wanted to celebrate her birthday on Sept. 1, by walking the beach in Wells. To Leslie's total delight, Judy flew up from Kentucky and, together with Andy, shared Leslie's birthday wish with her, spent the night, and flew home the next day. Sentimental, happy tears were filling the corners of Leslie's eyes as she told me about it two weeks later.

The Swingin' Bears Square Dance club has classes on Wednesday nights (starting Sept. 15) at the middle school in South Paris. It's great fun and exercise. Although the calls and sometimes the music is different than it was when I danced as a kid, "when you dance in a square, you join a circle of friends" is still a true statement! Feel free to call me for more info.

Nancy Thew, 137 Thistle Street, is looking for both pint and quart canning jars. Please call her at 533-2051 or drop them off at her home if you have some you don't need.

Although I like winter, we are never ready for it. While enjoying the beautiful colors that autumn brings, there is always the urgency to "get stuff done." Every summer I think (and hope) "This is the year we're going to be ready for winter." Ah, well, maybe next year!

Hope you enjoy your week. Selah

Hanover

By Clem Worcester

The Gardner Roberts Memorial Library Third Annual Celebration of Fall will take place on Oct. 9 at the Library/Town Office campus. Presently being accepted are donations for the trash and treasure sale. Stop by the library to see the theme baskets for the raffle. Special raffle items include: Howard Pond Family Loon Photo Pillow from Doty Adams; Gail's Tree, a matted and framed photo by Chris Howe; Specialty Santa Doll from Dodie Mahar. More information will be coming. Raf-

fle tickets are available. The Library Bees are busy gathering crafts for the Bee Hive Craft Sale in the library. Other items will be outside under shelters.

Friendly Fred is selling his produce from the Children's Garden at Lynne's Garden Stand on the Howard Pond Road. Proceeds will be used to purchase child-size garden tools and other items to be used next spring when the garden is planted. Watch for Friendly Fred's Stand at the Oct. 9 fall celebration.

Gardner Roberts Memorial Library thanks everyone for the donations of returnable bottles and cans. Please keep them coming.

The Town of Hanover safe has slipped a gear or something and town officials have been unable to gain access to important documents. After two days of work by the Portland Safe Company the door remains tightly closed. MacNeale and Urban along with E.C. Morris manufactured the safe. E.C. Morris was the selling agent. A news item from the New York Times dated Jan. 18, 1896 reported that E.C. Morris had been missing from Boston for about two weeks.

Sara and Brian Worcester put on a birthday cookout at Donna and Clem's house last Saturday. Attending other than those mentioned were Kaylynn, Makala and Shawnee Worcester; Andrea and Ashley Glover and their friends Rick and Healy.

Local area Pythians including Freeman Farrington of East Andover; Danny and Janice Bennett and Michael Bennett of Milton Township; Craig Turner, Donna and Clem Worcester of Hanover traveled to Gouldsboro last Sunday to attend a meeting of the Grand Lodge Executive Council.

Gail and Bill Worcester were in Hooksett, N.H., last week.

A section of Main Street (US Route 2) where a bridge carries it over the Pond Stream seems to be collapsing over the embankment. It appears that the Maine Department of

Transportation is planning to make repairs.

Andover

By Melinda Averill

Hello Andover friends. Welcome to fall, which means Fair time, field hockey and football time.

Mountain Valley High School in Rumford is having a home football game tomorrow, Friday night, when they will be hosting Wells. There will be a Homecoming Parade beforehand at 5 p.m. On Saturday, the Telstar Rebels' field hockey team will play Mountain Valley at Hosmer Field. Lots of excitement, with local athletes from Andover, Rumford and Bethel! It sounds like the weather is going to be great too.

Thanks to Carol Emery of the River Valley Healthy Communities for organizing the care of the beautiful flowers on the triangle by the Andover Post Office. Teen planters were Elek Pew, Morgan Lee, Izaak Mills, Jamie Stevens and James Carter. All of the flowers were donated by Foxgloves and Daisies of Andover. The fertilizer was donated by Pete's Hardware, also of Andover. What a pretty sight through the summer!

Sympathy is extended to the family of Marc Chartier of East Andover, who passed away on Saturday. His parents, Roland and Pauline, and his sister, Joan Zitoli, also live in town. Funeral services will be held at 6 p.m. Thursday evening at Meader and Sons in Rumford.

East Bethel

By Wally Ritz

It sure has cooled off during the last few days. Time again to either turn on the furnace or start the wood stove to take out the chill in the morning.

I thought I would have more news to share about Labor Day weekend. Here is



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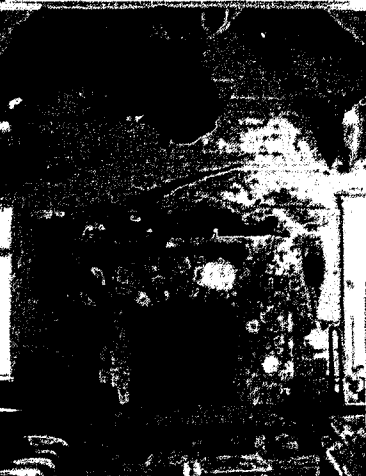
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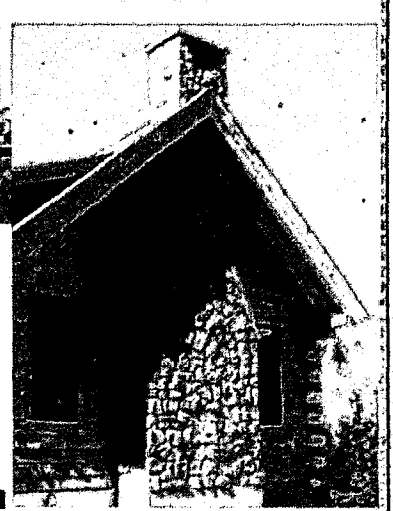


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what I did find out: Arlene Harrington, Mr. and Mrs. James Coolidge and Gabe of Andover spent a day together at the Windsor Fair and had a ball! Bettyann Hastings was in Wolfeboro to take care of grandkids. They had lots of fun at the camp swimming and going on hikes. I also have some dates for you to mark your calendars. On Sunday, Sept. 19, at 2 p.m. there will be a service by Ben Conant at the East Bethel Church. Then on Sunday, Sept. 26, a benefit will be held for Wendy Annis at the Locke Mills Legion Hall. I will do my best to try and attend both and hope you will, too.

I also had another reader suggestion in order to try to stimulate our local economy and create jobs. East Bethel should open a "Strip Joint and a Casino." Come on, smile and laugh as laughter is the best medicine.

I am also very amazed and happy about all the fun so many had with the "Mock Elections." Seeing the great response and participation, I just have to share the complete list as given to me either by phone or e-mail. Let's start with the mayoral votes: Wayne Bean, Ryan Coolidge, Paul Hebert, George Haines, John Coolidge, Arlene Harrington, Ernie Mason, Eva Coolidge, Babe Bartlett, Wally Ritz, and Victor Coolidge each one vote. Neil Olson came out ahead with two votes. On the gubernatorial side: Scot Kennagh, Babe Bartlett, Earl Coolidge, and Clark Bartlett each one vote. John Coolidge two votes and Jarrod Crockett three votes. Again, Neil Olson is ahead with four votes. It sounds like Neil has to decide which position he wants, yet don't quit your job.

I do have to laugh as I am writing this. Do hope you all enjoy this. So, keep getting those suggestions to me and whatever else by calling 824-3220 or mailing han@megalink.net. Do look for the new Trivia question in next week's edition of The Citizen.

Keep on smiling and have a great week.

West Paris

By Joyce Lamb

All is well in West Paris. The weather is much cooler allowing people to harvest and clean up their gardens, but most important is to plant the early spring bulbs.

Predictions are for a cold, snowy winter. The hornet's nests are low down this fall which means to old-timers it will be fairly warm with less snow. We need to prepare for the worse and hope for the best.

On Sept. 19 at the West Paris Universalist Church the Rev. Richard Beal will conduct the service at 9 a.m. Coffee and conversation will follow. All are welcome.

These cooler mornings are much more pleasant for the Cotton Tops to walk. Peg Perham is feeling much better after her fall. She and Joe now walk to the General Store and join the group for coffee and toast. We hope Peg keeps on improving. She is the laughing, smiling one.

Sparrows gather where the grass has been mowed in front of Muffin's bow window so she gets a little excitement most days.

Mason

We spent Labor Day weekend at daughter Anita's in Custer, S.D. I spent the first half of three days (before it got too hot) thinning their ponderosa pine grove of small- to medium-size trees. Dan wanted them thinned due to pine beetles which are attacking trees all over the west. He says the beetles don't kill as many trees if they are thinned enough that their branches don't touch each other. In all, I cut about 100 trees and sawed them into short enough lengths that Dan could handle them. He hopes to give the wood away, rather than let it rot.

Afternoons we did some sightseeing in the local area. Saturday afternoon, we hiked a mile to a place called Roughlock Falls, an easy hike for the kids (Sierra-4, and Bryce-2). They are really slow hikers because they have to



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stop and sample every edible berry and pick samples of most of the low-hanging leaves. Hence the hike took all afternoon. While we were at the Falls, I managed to break my new digital camera! I had given it to Anita to get a photo of Mona and I with the Falls in the background, but another couple was standing at the railing where the best view was, seemingly oblivious to other people wanting to take pics. I decided to take the camera from Anita and get another shot of the Falls while we waited for those people to move. I took hold of the camera, not realizing Anita had the strap around her wrist, started to pick it up, and it fell to the boardwalk when it slipped out of my hand. I hate it when that happens!

Next afternoon we drove to Hot Springs, S.D., where there is a place called "The Mammoth Site," where dozens of fossilized mammoth skeletons are being unearthed. This is the site of an ancient sinkhole that filled up with warm water and where an unknown number of mammoths fell into the hole and died over a period of thousands of years. Our site

interpreter said that this is the only site in the U.S. and probably the world where two species of mammoth fossils are found together: woolly and Columbian mammoths. We were told that there is an additional 60 feet of as yet unearthed sinkhole below the currently visible fossils, where they expect to find many more such specimens. The site is now enclosed in a very large building, and research is continuing on a daily basis.

If you ever come to the Black Hills to see famous Mount Rushmore's presidential faces, be sure to explore adjacent Custer State Park. This is a large park with a free roaming herd of buffalo, and more spectacularly, a large area of spectacular granite peaks and spindly looking spires called "Cathedral Spires."

Labor Day afternoon Dan, Anita, the kids and I hiked a short trail among the spires while Mona stayed in the truck at the trail head and read. While there, several people stopped and talked to her; among them was a woman, Gretchen, who said she was from Albany Twp., Maine! Small world!

Before we left Custer, I took Mona to the local medical clinic, where she was prescribed an antibiotic for an infection. By the time we reached Helena, Mont., where we visited Martha Grover, Mona was experiencing chills and sundry aches and pains. We found the local hospital ER, where, after blood analysis, a doctor said he thought she was suffering a reaction to the previously mentioned antibiotic. She was to quit taking the antibiotic and see if she wasn't feeling better after 3 or 4 days (She was!).

As a result of Mona's illness, I decided to cut short our trip and begin our journey homeward. While we were there, Martha showed us around the large facility where she is displaying some of her ceramic creations in a large gallery, while also teaching several classes both there and at the local college and also where she continues creating new pieces. Her work is largely inspired by the various shapes and petals found in orchid flowers. She uses orchid shapes and colors very creatively. Beautiful!

Waterford

It is the Ides of September and some days it definitely feels like fall and others it is still summer. I am glad for the cool mornings and the warm, sunny afternoons without the 90-degree weather. We have been lucky with the weather and especially with the nighttime rain storms. Who could ask for anything better!

Being fall it is time to pick apples. They are ready locally and we keep saying we are going to get some. We will this week! It is also time for the Oxford County Fair. I hope to get to that also. It lasts all this week.

I am going to the first book discussion group. It is had North Bridgton Library on Route 37 at 3 p.m. on Friday, the 16th. The groups meet at North Bridgton, Water-

ford, then Harrison libraries. Check any of the libraries for details. The first book is "Country of the Pointed Firs" by Sarah Orne Jewett.

Saturday, the 18th, the Bethel Harvest Fest and Chowdah Cookoff starts at 11 a.m. at Bethel Common. There will also be chainsaw carving, horse-drawn wagon rides and fly tying and casting. FMI call 824-2282.

Keep your calendar open for the 5th Annual Fall Foliage Road Race in Waterford. Roads will be closed.

That is all for this week. Have a great week and enjoy the good weather.

Bryant Pond

By Alice Hoyt

The Woodstock-Greenwood Senior Citizens met on Thursday, Sept. 2, at the Masonic Hall. A delicious dinner was served by the Star Birthday Club and an interesting program on a mission trip to Papua, New Guinea was presented by Marybeth Hoover. In October we go to the Village Inn for dinner.

Guest of Irene Redman recently was her daughter, Lorraine Sinclair from Florida. It was good weather and they enjoyed their time together.

Franklin Grange 124 met on Monday, Sept. 6 for a regular meeting. Installation of officers will be held on Thursday, Sept. 16, at West Paris Grange Hall starting with a 6:30 supper. Laura Hutchins and Peggy Blake are delegates to State Grange. A date was set for the next Hee Haw Show on Nov. 6. Program, Amazing Grace opening song; opening thought, Bertha DeHaas; poem by Sharon Felt, Gram's Old Oak Desk; poem by Richard Felt, Our Country Doctor; song, Let There Be Peace on Earth; closing thought, Pomona Grange will meet at Franklin Grange in October. Next meeting is Sept. 20.

There will be no special program at Whitman Memorial Library in October.

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Outing Club plans events

Great shindig at Songo Pond Sept. 6. We counted 61 folks in attendance, about half of whom paddled the war canoe (including Sonny Hastings, whose family was involved in the Outing Club in the '70s and '80s and who keeps the war canoe amongst a fleet of canoes in his barn at Hastings Farm).

Perhaps a paddle on one of the Rangeley Lakes sometime this fall?

If you see Sonny, or Jeff Parsons of Bethel Outdoor Adventure who provided transport for the 250-pound craft, please say thanks! And thanks to Brad Jerome/Bethel Inn for providing the venue, and all who brought delectable end-of-summer dishes.

Upcoming activities

Sunday, Sept. 19, 6 p.m. Piza Party at Brad Clarke's classroom in Hanscom Hall (main classroom building) at Gould.

Socialize and brainstorm about how to make this year's ski sale better than ever in the new location.

Ski Sale Ticket marking party. October date TBD, but traditionally we've done it early evening on Columbus Day.

Friday, Oct. 29 and Saturday, Oct. 30. 30th Annual BOC Ski Sale; location changed for 2010 to Crescent Park School. Pre-Ski-Season Get-together. TBD (November or December)

At the Labor Day members' meeting at Songo, volunteer opportunities came up:

1. Ski Sale: lots of volunteers help out for a couple of hours - we also need some thinkers and planners, especially with the exciting new space we'll have this year. Thanks in advance to Vicky Filiani and Chris Hayward for offering to be mentored by Beth and Kirk this year, and there are some other functions that need filling.

2. Flying Moose Race Committee: Jim Reuter's leadership has made this one of New England Nordic Ski Association's revered citizen races, and it would be nice to involve some folks in the planning process. Chris Tre-

fethen offered to co-pilot with Jim this year, which is great. 3. BOC kids' cross-country ski programs/Bill Koch Youth Ski League. It's probably time for parents of elementary kids who x-c to begin to take the reins from those of us whose kids are now in middle school, high school and college!

Pianist kicks off arts series

Internationally-renowned Concert Pianist Randall Atcheson will kick-off the 2010-2011 Gould Performing Arts Series Sept. 28 at Bingham Auditorium, presented by the Mahoosuc Arts Council.

The pianist will also perform in two special programs for the middle and high school students of SAD 44 Sept. 27. The set of performances are being funded in full by a generous friend of Gould Academy.

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Mr. Atcheson was the winner of the first Juilliard Organ Competition and subsequently gave the premiere performance on the new pipe organ in Alice Tully Hall at Lincoln Center in New York City.

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Contact the Mahoosuc Arts Council to reserve your tickets: 824-3575.

Bethel Senior Citizens meetings

The Bethel Senior Citizens Club met Sept. 8 at the Rooster's Roadhouse for their meeting and dinner with 37 members present. President Nancy Mercer led the salute to the flag and conducted the meeting. Reports were given by Musa Brown and Arlene Lowell.

The door prize was won by Caroline Gould and the 50/50 raffle by Pat Thurston.

The next meeting will be Oct. 13, 11 a.m. at Pleasant Valley Grange Hall in West Bethel. am. Reservations must be made before Oct. 11 by calling Nancy at 824-3350 or Arlene at 824-2877. Price of dinner is \$8. This will be a show and tell program. Members will bring hand work, hobbies, or whatever they are interested in to share with other members.

Anthony Arruda and Angela Wilkinson presented a slide program on Medicare. Mr. Arruda works with seniors; he also has insurance plans to go along with Medicare. He spoke about Health Care Reform and changes that are going to be made in 2011, 2012 and 2013.

The other speaker was John Davis who gave a very interesting talk on Japanese dolls. He had several on display that his wife had made. She was an instructor in the art of doll making. They were all hand sewn and each one had a story of it's own. They were beautiful dolls.

September birthdays are: Carol Brearley, Studie Cross, Beatrice Lowell, Shirley Lowell, Doris Mills, Hugh Swan and Pat Thurston.

BHS Barn Tour Saturday

Once again, the Bethel Historical Society is sponsoring a Barn Tour on Saturday, Sept. 18, from 10 a.m. to 4 p.m. Ten barns ranging in age from the early 19th century to late 20th century will be among those open to visit and explore in the greater Bethel area.

The tour begins with the society's 1813 Dr. Moses Mason barn, which will contain a va-

riety of historical exhibits. Next door at 18 Broad Street, the Hastings Homestead barn dating from the 1820s will be open; inside will be more exhibits, and cider and apple sauce making will be featured. Further south on Broad Street, visitors will be able to inspect the Rowe-Ames barn from the 1850s, where Richard Hale will discuss wood involved in barn construction, and his wife will be working on a quilt.

The nearby and recently refurbished Mill Street Inn, originally a barn dating back to the mid-19th century, will be open for visiting, and the owner is expected to display his high-regarded pottery-making skills.

Gould Academy's post and beam barn, used in connection with its Farm and Forest Program, dates from 1998 and will provide tour participants a chance to see a variety of farm animals.

Dating from 1879, the Philbrook Place Barn on Main Street demonstrates the adaptive reuse of historic structures and will provide shopping opportunities for participants.

Located a mile west of Bethel village on Route 2, the circa 1900 Swain barn is part of a connected farm building and still being used for active agriculture.

The Capen barn on Intervale Road dates back to the 1820s and is still owned by Capen descendants. The Locke-Swan barn on the Sunday River Road was constructed in the 1880s by Hiram York, and was made famous by its inclusion in a chapter of Ruth Crosby's nostalgic book, "I Was A Summer Boarder," when it was used by guests at the Locke Mountain House.

Further up the Sunday River valley, the 1895 Foster barn, also built by Hiram York, stands across from the historic Foster family residence. This well-maintained barn is situated at the edge of open fields and near the famed 1872 Sunday River Covered Bridge, another structure raised by Hiram York.

A bonus on this year's tour will be an opportunity to visit the 1895 Lower Sunday River School-house from 1 to 4 p.m. The school closed in 1943, and some former students who attended it are expected to be

present to provide memories and general information.

Tickets for the barn tour are \$10 per person and will be on sale beginning at 9 a.m. at the society's Robinson House, 10 Broad Street, Bethel. For more information, please call (800) 824-2910 or e-mail the society at info@bethelhistorical.org.

Harvestfest this weekend

We are amidst a beautiful and bountiful harvest and the community will be celebrating it in high style this weekend at the 13th Annual Bethel Harvestfest and Chowdah Cookoff.

The "main event" will be held on the Bethel Common from 9 a.m. to 4 p.m., but there are many ongoing activities all weekend, including the Upper Andro Angler's Alliance Driftboat Competition on Friday and their 2-Fly Tournament on Saturday.

A guided bike tour is the showcased event on Sunday morning. Gather in the Casablanca Cinema parking lot at 9 a.m. if you'd like to be a part of this great event.

A full schedule for the weekend is available by going on the website: www.bethelharvestfest.com. Many thanks to the sponsors who are helping to make this event happen: Frito Lay, Oxford Networks, Allen's Coffee Brandy, Maine Street Realty & Rentals, Stephens Memorial Hospital, Sysco Food Services of Northern New England, Kraft Foods, Good Food Store and the 12 restaurants who will be present serving their delicious chowders. They are: Bethel's Best Pizza Grille & Dairy Bar, The Bethel Inn Resort, Crosstone Restaurant, Foothills Grille, Funky Red Barn, Good Food Store, the Phoenix, Rooster's Roadhouse, Route 2 Diner, S.S. Milton, Sudbury Inn, and Sunday River Brewing Co. Tickets for the Chowdah sampling will go on sale starting at 11 a.m., and serving will be from noon till we run out.

Sunday River Farms is providing us with freshly dug, locally grown potatoes for our Maine Baked Potato booth. Hot dogs and hamburgs will also be available, as will free samples of Lays Potato Chips

and Cabot Cheese, Middle Intervale Farm and the GOT Farms collaborative will have displays and sales of locally harvested foods and their efforts to raise awareness of the benefits of growing and eating them.

We have a tradition of decorating the village and we encourage all to join in by designing with the theme "Four seasons of bounty in the Bethel area - recreation, local food and the arts!" Give us a call at the chamber office, 824-2282, if you are planning to make a scarecrow and we will come and take a photo.

The Chamber is also starting to plan for our 2011 events. We are hosting a Mollycoddle Days planning meeting next Tuesday, Sept. 21 from 4 to 5:30 p.m. at the chamber office. We know this event is a very important community tradition - so we welcome new ideas. Please RSVP to our office by Monday, the 20th, if you are planning to attend.

IFW waterfowl season info

The waterfowl season will be a full 60 days this year.

The southern waterfowl zone will be open for hunting beginning Friday, Oct. 1, as in past years. The northern waterfowl zone will again for the second year have an earlier opening day. The duck season (but not the goose season) will open on Monday, Sept. 27, in the northern waterfowl zone. This will allow north zone duck hunters a few more days of duck hunting opportunity that may otherwise be lost due to an early freeze-up of inland waters that hunters in the north zone generally experience in December.

In addition to waterfowl, hunting seasons for webless game birds, such as rails and woodcock, falconry and crow also were adopted.

Species bag limits for the coming season are similar to last year's limits. A copy of the "2010 Migratory Game Bird Hunting Schedule," is available at most MDIF&W licensing agents or at www.mefishwildlife.com.

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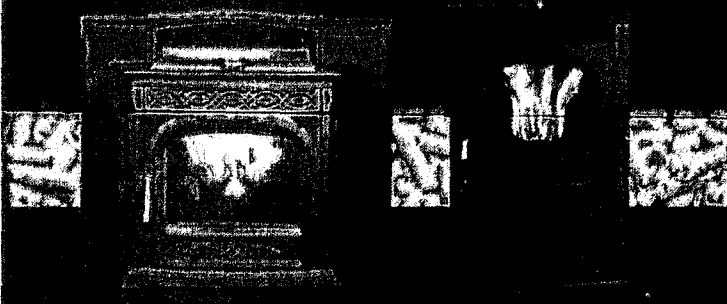
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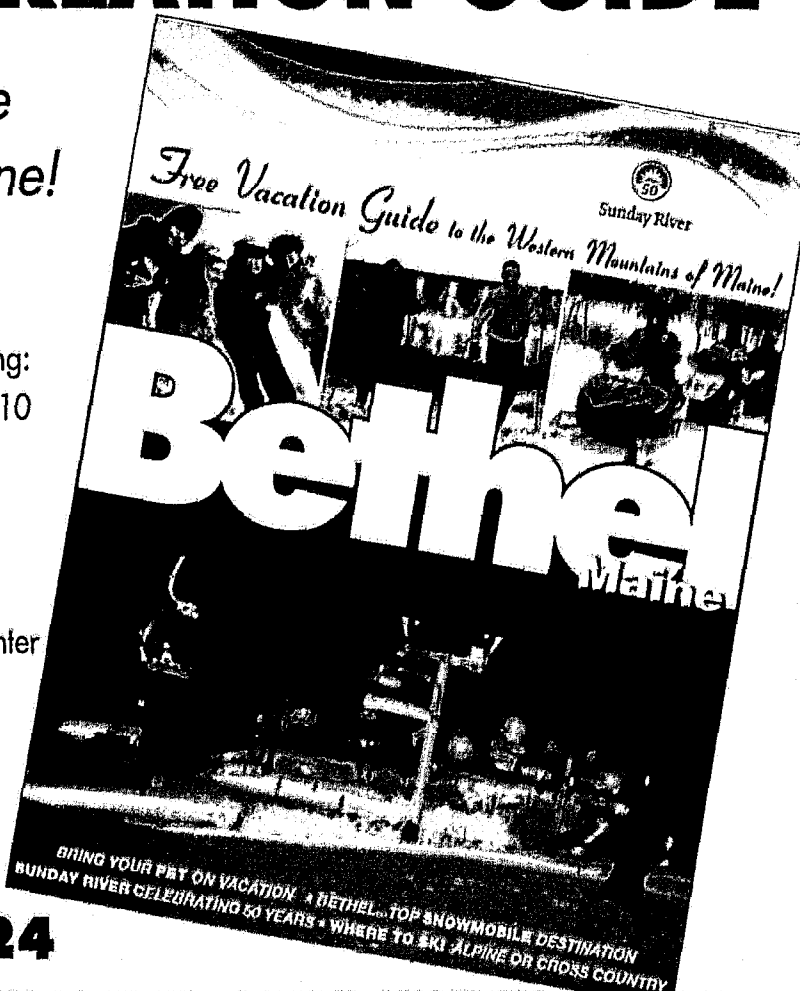
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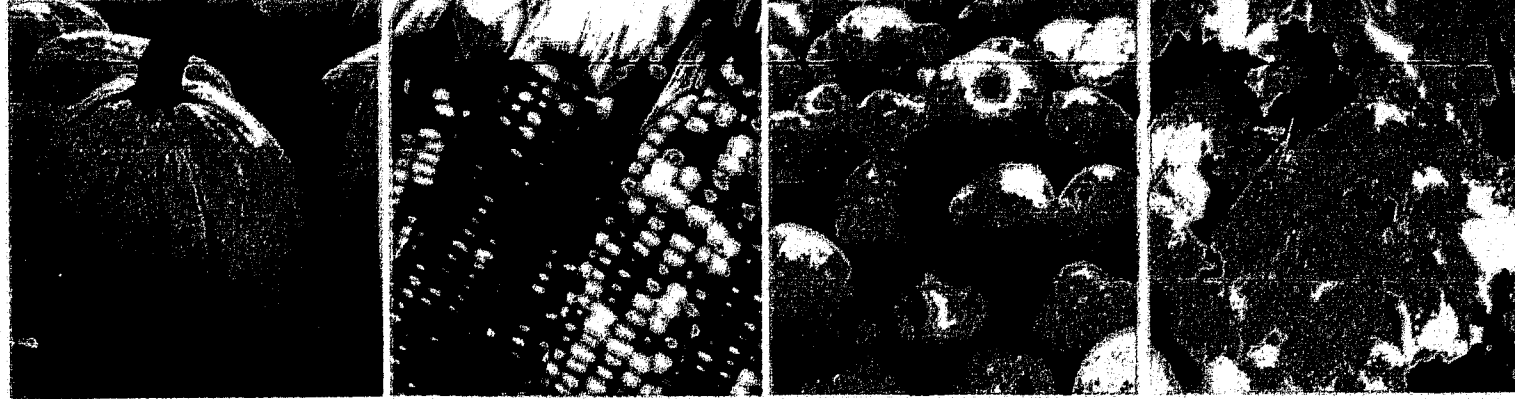
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8:30am-3:30pm:
Self-guided canoe/kayak Androscoggin River tour from Gilead to Bethel. 25% off rentals & shuttle service at Bethel Outdoor Adventure & Campground on Rt. 2. Reservations Recommended. 207.824.4224.

9:00am-5:00pm:
Hiking, biking, dining, lodging info, and more at the Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce, Station Place (train station beside the movie theater). 207.824.2282.

Pick-your-own Apples:
Gibson's Apple Orchard, 4 miles out North Road from Route 2. 207.836.2972.
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10:00am-4:00pm:
Sunday River Resort open for Chondola rides to top of North Peak, Mountain Biking, and Zip Line Tours. www.sundayriver.com. 824.3000.

3:00pm:
The Drift Boat Championship will begin at Bethel Outdoor Adventure & Campground on Route 2 by the Route 2 highway bridge. Boats will be launched from the BOA landing. The 1/4 mile course finishing at Davis Park will test the oarsman's rowing speed and navigation ability. A passenger must remain standing in the bow throughout the contest. Spectator viewing from the recreation bridge & Davis Park. 1st, 2nd & 3rd prizes.

6:00-7:30pm:
The Fantastic Food Frenzy presented by Telstar's "G.O.T. Farms?" at Telstar Middle/High School Gymnasium. This is a free public supper featuring food from several Western Maine educational gardens - grown and prepared by students. Live music performed by students. Educational garden displays.

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 18 IN THE AREA AND ON THE BETHEL COMMON

8:00am-til gone!
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8:30am-3:30pm:
Take a self-guided canoe/kayak Androscoggin River tour from Gilead to Bethel. 25% off rentals & shuttle service at Bethel Outdoor Adventure & Campground on Rt. 2. Reservations Recommended 207.824.4224.

9:00am-noon:
Bethel Farmers' Market on Parkway next to Norway Savings Bank. Fresh local produce, meats, flowers, eggs, homemade bread, and other farm-prepared goodies.

ATV tour of the Mahoosuc Mountains with Sun Valley Sports. Reservations recommended. 207.824.7533.

9:00am-3:00pm: on the lawn next to the Bethel Library
Chainsaw art demonstration by Steve Stone of Bethel. Raffle tickets for his carved 3' standup bear sculpture are \$3 each, or 2 for \$5, and are available at the Chamber tent. Drawing Oct. 28th.

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9:00am-4:00pm:
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Bethel Area Chamber of Commerce tent: Stop by for general information or to learn about the many seasons of Bethel and all there is to do in the area. "Chowdah" cook-off tickets, and chainsaw artwork raffle tickets available here also.

10:00am-4:00pm:
Sunday River Resort open for Chondola rides to top of North Peak, Mountain Biking, and Zip Line Tours. www.sundayriver.com. 824.3000.

10:00am-4:00pm continued:

Tour the Lower Sunday River School House built in 1895.

At the Bethel Historical Society (across from the common):

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11:00am-2:00pm:
Free horse-drawn wagon rides through Bethel village with Deepwood Farm. Sponsored by Oxford Networks.

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Noon:
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1:00-4:00pm:
ATV tour of the Mahoosuc Mountains with Sun Valley Sports. Reservations recommended. 207.824.7533.

3:00pm:
Upper Andro Anglers Alliance (UAAA) drift boat parade up Main Street to the common. Announcement of the UAAA Two-Fly Contest winners.

3:30pm:
Bethel Library quilt raffle drawing.

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SUNDAY, SEPTEMBER 19 IN THE AREA

8:30am-3:30pm:
Take a self-guided canoe/kayak Androscoggin River tour, from Gilead to Bethel. 25% off canoe/kayak rentals & shuttle service at Bethel Outdoor Adventure & Campground on Rt. 2. 207.824.4224.

9:00am:
Scenic guided bike tour to apple orchards and further if the group would like. Meet at Casablanca Cinema 4 parking lot. Tour leaves promptly at 10am. Self-guided bike tour maps also available. May sign up at chamber tent on the common on Saturday, if you want. Snacks and giveaways!

9:00am-noon & 1:00pm-4:00pm: ATV tour of the Mahoosuc Mountains with Sun Valley Sports. Reservations recommended. 207.824.7533.

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Noon-4:00pm:
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Sports

High School Boys' Varsity Soccer

Telstar 3, Jay 1; Sept. 13—Telstar's defense had an excellent game again, shutting down the Jay offense and contributing to the success of the offense. Offensively, Telstar found Tyler Brown for two of the three goals and Dan Vaughn fought for an unassisted goal. Assists were produced by Dan Vaughn and Travis Brown. Rick James had another good game in goal.— Coach Greg Luetje

Telstar 4, Mt. Valley 1; Sept. 10—Telstar had an excellent game defensively allowing only one goal. Goals were scored by Dan Vaughn (2), Nik Conrad, and Michael DelDuca. Assists by Nik Conrad (2), and Travis Brown.— Coach Greg Luetje

High School Girls' Club Soccer

Telstar 1, Hall-Dale 1; Sept. 13—Telstar midfielders Kimberleigh Dean, Maisey Griffin, Alyssa Brands, Cheyanne Day, and Melody Royer helped keep the ball in the attacking end and Katie Blaszcak scored on a penalty kick with 3 minutes left to play.— Coach Bob Remington

Round Robin at Carabec, Sept. 11—The Rebels came away with 2 wins, 1 loss, and 1 tie. Katie Blaszcak scored 3 goals on the day and Casey Blaszcak added one of her own. Keeper Taylor Savage, with help from defenders Anna Saucier, Rachael Wheeler, Taylor Maines, Jenny Wakefield, Maisey Griffin, and Emileigh Parsons, kept opponents scoreless through the first 3 games.— Coach Bob Remington

High School Varsity Field Hockey

Telstar 10, Hall-Dale 0; Sept. 13—Defense played a great game holding the Bulldogs scoreless. Goal scorers were Katie Sumner (4), Lyndsay Merrill (2 goals-2 assists), and Jamie Steven, Kayla Merrill, Kallie Brown, Victoria Forkus. Assists: Susan Newkirk, Kayla Merrill, and Emma Davis. Hali Barter was in cage for the Rebels. Team work and communication made for a smooth game.— Coach Gail Wight

Telstar 3, Lisbon 2 (OT); Sept. 10—Telstar's Kallie Brown scored the first goal on an assist by Lyndsay Merrill to tie the game 1-1. Katie Sumner scored unassisted for a 2-2 game. In overtime Hali Barter stepped up in cage to take a Lisbon player in a 1 vs. 1 play, kicking the ball away and setting the team up for the winning goal when a pass from Kayla Merrill went to Kallie Brown on post for the winning goal. Congratulations team.— Coach Gail Wight



FIRST TEE
Telstar Junior Cody Bolvin tees off at the beginning of a golf match last week between THS and Mountain Valley.
(Photo: A. Aloisio)

High School Golf

Livermore Falls 6, Telstar 1; Sept. 14—The Telstar golf team lost to a strong Livermore Falls team by a 6-1 score. Cody Bolvin was the lone Rebel to win his match. The team is now 2-3 on the season.— Coach Jim Lunney

TMS Varsity Soccer

Mt. Valley 2, Telstar 1—The Telstar goal was scored by Mitch Lehman who placed a high arching shot over the keeper on a pass from Andrew Siegel. Max Southam played well in goal until an injury sidelined him and Jacob Bennett stepped in and played well, including stopping a penalty shot late in the second half. The team played hard and has a lot to build on.— Coach Mark Kenney

TMS J.V. Soccer

Mt. Valley 3, Telstar 1—Mt. Valley got on the scoreboard first. Then Maddie Simard scored a phenomenal goal to tie it at 1-1. Avry Griffin had the assist on the goal. Mt. Valley went on to score two unanswered goals. The Rebels battled hard and played very well. Jillian DeLallo played well defensively, Zachary Stone played well in the midfield, and Matthew Chiasson played well offensively. Jahmai Bartlett played well in goal.— Coach Brian Lemont

High School J.V. Field Hockey

Lisbon 1, Telstar 0; Sept. 10—Both teams battled it out in the first half and went into halftime scoreless. Lisbon scored in the second half of the game with nine minutes left to play. Lexie Broomhall and Rachael Boyd were standouts on defense. Midfielders Autum Morin, Anneliese Smith, and Carlee Beatson all worked hard feeding the ball to the forward line. The whole team showed a lot of improvement in this game. Teamwork was evident.— Coach Lori Davis

Livermore 5, Telstar 1; Sept. 8—Telstar's Jenna Putnam scored the lone goal on a pass from Dakota Verrill. Defense showed improvement, especially during the first half of the game. Tabitha Corriveau and Hali Barter shared time in the cage.— Coach Lori Davis

School Lunch

Week of Sept. 20

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Wednesday: Hot ham and cheese sandwich, oven fries, or SunButter and jelly sandwich.
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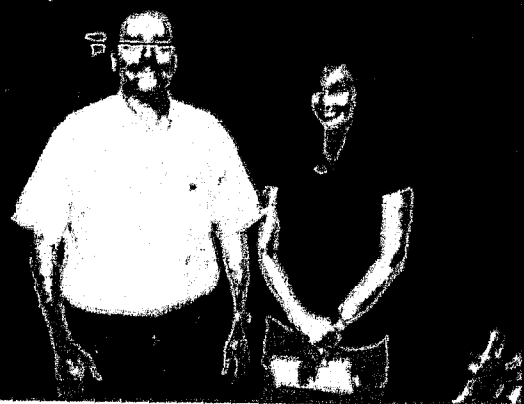


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Friday, Sept. 17

6 to 7:30 p.m. - **The Fantastic Food Frenzy**, a dinner and exhibition at Telstar gymnasium. Exhibition features display of learning from "G.O.T. Farms?" group at Telstar, and six other western Maine educational gardens. Free dinner prepared by students/volunteers with foods from each of participating gardens.

Friday and Saturday, Sept. 17 and 18

Upper Andro Two Fly Contest and Northeast Drift Boat Championship: 6 a.m. to 2 p.m. Saturday - Two Fly Contest; Friday 3 p.m. Northeast Drift Boat participants launch from Bethel Outdoor Adventure, Route 2, Bethel, with finish line at Davis Park, Bethel. FMI: www.upper-andro.com.

7:30 p.m. - **Oddfellow Theater**, Buckfield, presents Early Evening Show. Tickets: \$14 adults/\$12 seniors/\$8 12 and under. FMI: 743-3306.

Friday, Saturday, Sunday, Sept. 17, 18, 19

8 p.m. (Fri. Sat.) 2 p.m. (Sun.) - **Celebration Barn Theater**, 190 Stock Farm Road, South Paris presents Sally Jones in "Mrs. Smith Goes to Washington." Tickets: \$14 adults, \$12 seniors (63+), \$8. In advance: call box office (743-8452). FMI: www.CelebrationBarn.com.

Saturday, Sept. 18

Bethel Harvestfest and Chowder Cookoff. Fun for all. Maine baked potatoes, chowders, chainsaw carving, local music, free horse-drawn wagon rides, fly-tying and casting, historical barn tours, apple picking, arts and crafts. Apple Pie Contest, etc. Tickets on sale at 11 a.m. for Chowdah Cookoff. FMI: call 824-2282 or visit www.bethelharvestfest.com.

8 to 12 noon - **Indoor Yard Sale** at Wilkins House, Plummer Hill (next to church), Waterford. Two more sales left this year, Oct. 16 and Nov. 27. Something for everyone.

10 a.m. - **Mahoosuc Land Trust** hike up First Mountain, North Road, Shelburne, N.H. Five-mile loop with leaders Ginger Lawson and Larry Ely. FMI: 824-3806.

5:30 to 6:30 p.m. - **Public Supper** at West Bethel Union Church. Adults \$7, under 12 \$3.

7:30 p.m. - **Chad & Jeremy Show** at Fryeburg Academy. Tickets: \$25 adults, \$20 seniors (65 and over), \$15 students. FMI: 935-9232 or visit www.fryeburgacademy.org.

Sunday, Sept. 19

2 p.m. - **East Bethel Church Service** with Pastor Ben B. Conant preaching sermon and Stephen Seames providing organ music. Church located on Intervale Road, Bethel. Everyone welcome.

2 p.m. - **Finnish-American Heritage Center**, 8 Maple Street, West Paris, first meeting of fall followed by program/video by Barbara Payne of her recent visit to Finland. Coffee social follows, Public welcome.

Tuesday, Sept. 21

10 a.m. - **Essentials of College Planning** free workshop at Rumford Career Center, 35 Congress Street. FM or register: (800) 281-3703 or http://meoc.maine.edu.

10 a.m. to 1 p.m. - **Open House** at Bethel Early Learning Center, 44 Cross Street (next to Casablanca Cinema), Bethel.

Wednesday, Sept. 22

3 to 4 p.m. - **Rumford Hospital**, 420 Franklin Street, presentation, "Pain: Can it be shut off like a light switch?" in celebration of Rehab Week. FMI: 369-1099 or visit www.rumfordhospital.org.

7 p.m. - **Early Maps of Maine** topic at Norway Historical Society by Barry Allen. Public welcome. FMI: 743-5309.

7:30 p.m. - **A Man Named Pearl (film)** at Fryeburg Academy. FMI: 935-9232 or visit www.fryeburgacademy.org.

Wednesdays, Sept. 22-Oct. 6

5 to 6 p.m. - **T'ai Chi for Beginners** at Bethel Area Health Center. Betsey Foster instructor. Cost: \$25. FMI and register: 824-2780 (Adult Ed.).

Thursdays, Sept. 23-Oct. 7

10 to 11 a.m. - **Quieting your Mind**, Bethel Area Health Center with Betsey Foster, instructor. Cost: \$25. Limited to six students. FMI and register: 824-2780 (Adult Ed.).

Saturday, Sept. 25

10 a.m. (doors open) - **Chinese Auction** at Advent Christian Church, Route 26, Oxford (by Wal-Mart). Lunch available, 100 items raffled, \$1 table, 50/50. Drawing 1 p.m. (do not have to be there to win). FMI: 357-7072. Please bring gift for kids Christmas program or pay \$1 admission. Funds help low-income families in Oxford County.

12:30 p.m. - **Bethel Area CROP Walk**. Walk 3 miles around Bethel village starting West Parish Congregational Church, Church Street, to support Church World Service.

4 to 7 p.m. - **Benefit Spaghetti Supper** for Wendy Annis (for medical expenses) at Locke Mills Legion. Cost: \$6.

7 to 10 p.m. - **Jones Dance Band** plays at South Paris Legion Hall, Church Street. Adults \$5. Lunch counter open.

Monday, Sept. 27

10 a.m. - **Essentials of College Planning** free workshop at South Paris Career Center, 232 Main Street. FMI or register: (800) 281-3703 or http://meoc.maine.edu.

7:30 p.m. - **Heather Pierson Stone Mountain Arts Center**, Brownfield. Doors open 7 p.m. Drinks, coffee and desserts available. Tickets: \$20 available Morning Dew Natural Foods, Bridgton; Books 'n' Things, Norway; Tina Titzer's School of Dance, Fryeburg; Naples Public Library; North Conway Music Shop; White Birch Books, North Conway; White Mountain Hotel, Hales Location.

Regular meetings/events

Municipal

Bethel selectmen: Second and fourth Mondays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Bethel Planning Board: Second and fourth Wednesdays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Bethel Water District: Third Tuesday of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Gilead Selectmen: Second Wednesdays of the month, 6 p.m., Town Office

Gilead Planning Board: First Thursdays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Greenwood selectmen: First and third Tuesdays of the month, 5 p.m., Town Office.

Hanover Selectmen: Third Tuesday of the month, 6 p.m. unless otherwise posted.

Hanover Planning Board: First Wednesday of the month, 6 p.m.

Newry selectmen: First and third Mondays of the month, 4 p.m., Town Office.

Newry Planning Board: First and third Wednesdays of the month, 7 p.m., Town Office.

Woodstock selectmen: First and third Tuesdays, 5 p.m., Town Office.

Woodstock Planning Board: First and third Tuesdays, 7 p.m., Town Office

SAD 44 School Board: Second and fourth Mondays of the month, 7 p.m., Telstar High School (occasionally meet at other schools; call 824-2185 for info).

Organizations

Andover

Mondays, **TOPS Program** in Andover at First Congregational Church. Weigh-in 5:30 to 6 p.m. meetings 6 to 6:30 p.m. Annual Tops membership: \$26. FMI: Tina (657-8804) or Sharon (392-4351).

Bethel

First Sunday of month, 7 p.m. - **Bethel Snow Twisters** at 208 Walkers Mills Rd.

Tuesdays, 6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - **Meditation and more with Mountain Heart Sangha**, mindfulness community practicing awareness, understanding, acceptance, harmony and love in tradition of Zen Buddhist Teacher Thich Nhat Hanh at Café DiCocoa. FMI: Cynthia Handlen 671-1532 or Cynthia.handlen@gmail.com. All welcome.

Wednesdays, 5:30 to 6:30 p.m. - **TOPS** at Bethel Alliance Church (weigh-in 5:30-6).

Thursdays 1 to 3 p.m. - **Cross Country Quilters** of Pine Tree Quilt Guild of Maine meet at Moses Mason House Barn, corner of Broad and Mason streets, Bethel. All quilters welcome. FMI: e-mail Pat McCartney at p.quilts@yahoo.com or call Kathy Thrall at 824-3111.

Thursdays, 9 to 10 a.m. - **Story Time for Children** at Bethel

N.H. or reserve (603) 447-3793 or visit www.heatherpierson.com.

Tuesday, Sept. 28

1 to 6 p.m. - **American Red Cross Blood Drive**, at Locke Mills American Legion Hall, sponsored by Bethel and Locke Mills American Legion Auxiliary. Your support is needed.

7:30 p.m. - **An Evening with Pearl Fryar!** at Fryeburg Academy. Free. FMI: 935-9232 or visit www.fryeburgacademy.org.

Monday and Tuesday, Sept. 27 and 28

7 p.m. - **Internationally Renowned Pianist Randall Atcheson** performs at Bingham Auditorium, Gould Academy, presented by Mahoosuc Arts Council. Tickets: \$10 adults, \$6 children 12 and under. FMI: 824-3575 or e-mail info@mahoosucarts.org. On Monday, Sept. 27, two 55-minute performances at Telstar Auditorium: Middle (1 p.m.) and High (10:30 a.m.).

Wednesday, Sept. 29

4:30 to 6:30 p.m. - **Community Supper** (no charge) at Bethel Alliance Church (across from Telstar parking lot). Call 824-2289 for more information.

Thursdays, Sept. 30-Oct. 14

5 to 6 p.m. - **Qigong for Beginners** taught by Betsey Foster. Cost: \$25. Limited to six students. FMI and register: 824-2780 (Adult Ed.).

Thursday, Oct. 7

6:30 to 8:30 p.m. - **Opera Appreciation Workshop** at Fryeburg Academy. No fee. FMI: 935-9232 or visit www.fryeburgacademy.org.

Wednesday, Oct. 13

3 to 4 p.m. - **"Standing tall preventing and managing osteoporosis"** presentation at Rumford Hospital Conference Room in celebration of October Physical Therapy Month. Free. Open to public. Light refreshments available. FMI: 369-1099 or visit www.rumfordhospital.org.

Saturday, Oct. 16

Benefit Golf Classic at Bethel Inn & Resort, a benefit for Veterans No Boundaries, Maine Handicapped Skiing, sponsored by Parrot Head Club of The Northern Tropics. Forms available (phcotnt@hotmail.com or online www.phcotnt.org).

Wednesday, Oct. 27

3 to 4 p.m. - **"Take action against arthritis!"** presentation at Rumford Hospital Conference Room in celebration of October Physical Therapy Month. Free. Open to public. Light refreshments available. FMI: 369-1099 or visit www.rumfordhospital.org.

Saturday, Oct. 30

11 a.m. - **5th annual Hike the River** at Phoenix House & Well, sponsored by Sunday River and Shipyard Brewing Company during Pumpkinhead Festival. Two-mile hike. All funds raised go to Maine Cancer Foundation. Registration (\$25) for hike 10 a.m. at Phoenix House & Well. Registration form www.shipyard.com/pdf/hike.2010.

ABUSED WOMEN'S ADVOCACY PROJECT

AWAP serves all of Oxford County and provides emergency shelter, court advocacy and support groups with child care. Rumford office 369-0750; Norway office 743-5086; 24 hour hotline 1-800-559-2927

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AA MEETINGS/ADDICTION HELP

Bethel Freedom Group. Open Discussion Meeting. Saturdays at 4:30 in the Snow Cap Inn conference room, next to the fitness room. Sunday River. Seasonal, Thanksgiving through April 1. Big Book Meeting Sundays at 6 pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street. 12 Step/Traditions Meeting Tuesdays at 6pm at the United Methodist Church, Main Street. Open Discussion Meeting Fridays at 6 pm at Bethel United Methodist Church, Main Street.

People in recovery from alcohol/drug addiction may need to move to a Next Step group. Open to everyone who feels they may benefit from a change. FMI: Laurence Austin at 824-4077 (calls confidential)

Adult Children of Alcoholics and Dysfunctional Families (ACOA or ACA) meeting at Waterford Library (Route 37 across from the Commons) Thursdays, 10 to 11 a.m. All welcome. FMI call 739-9115.

CANCER WELLNESS

Support and Education for cancer patients, survivors and caregivers. Every Thursday, 1:30-3:00pm. Rumford Hospital, Room 357. (877) 336-7287. Call to confirm during stormy weather.

EXCHANGES

District Exchange Community Thrift Shop accepts donations of in-season clothing in clean, wearable condition only. Drop-off hours and shopping: Monday 1-4 pm, Thursday 4-6pm and Saturday, 10am-12pm.

Woodstock Seventh Day Adventist Church Community Service Center offers assistance to individuals or families with food needs in South Woodstock, Bryant Pond, West Paris and Sumner areas. Call 674-2566, 674-2663, or 665-2226.

HELP FOR THE HOMELESS

Rumford Group Homes, Inc. operates three homeless shelters, a transitional living program for youth 18-21, homeless youth outreach and case management services for adults and children. Emergency shelter includes the South Paris Men's Shelter, the Norway Family Center for women and children in crisis, and the Strafford Ave. Family Center in Rumford. To make a referral or request help in the South Paris area, call 744-4031 or call 369-9439 for help in the Rumford area M-F 8a-4p. For more information on Rumford Group Homes, Inc. call 364-3551 or visit www.rumfordgrouphomes.org.

Library Hours

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**Whitman Memorial
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Thursday 1:30-7.

West Paris Library,
West Paris: Monday 1:30-6;
Wednesday 1:30-7; Friday
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**Gardner Roberts
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Hanover: Wednesday, 9-3;
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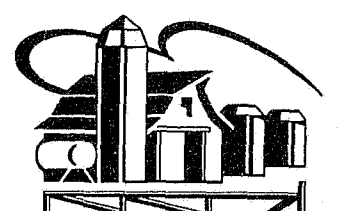
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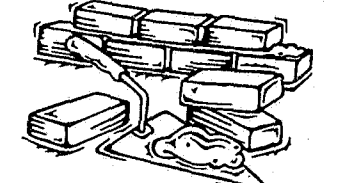
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Congregational Church - Hunts Corner, 9:30a.m. Sunday worship and Sunday School at 9am; Pastor Eddie Gammon, Bible Study 6:30 Thursdays at the home of Fernand Corriveau.

ANDOVER

First Congregational Church - Rev. Jane Rich, Sunday morning worship 10 to 11 a.m. followed by brunch. All welcome. FMI - 392-3761.

Calvary Bible Church - Pastor Ken Wagstaff, Morning worship 10:45 - noon. Wednesday prayer meeting, 6:30 p.m. Rt. 5, South Andover. 892-1121.

BETHEL

Bethel Alliance Church - Rev. Kevin Bellinger, Pastor; Jim Rose, Youth Pastor. Sundays: Sunday school for adults and children at 9 a.m.; Worship Service at 10 a.m.; Kidz Klub (4 yrs.-5th grade) and High School Youth Group (9th-12th grade) at 5:30 p.m. Thursdays: Middle School Youth Group (6th-8th grade) at 5 p.m. For more information, call 824-2289.

Church of the Nazarene - Pastor Chuck Mason, 9:30 a.m. Sunday School. 10:30 a.m. morning worship. Wednesday evening service in different locations. Call for info. 824-4028 (voice mail) or 824-7289 FMI.

Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Savior, Our Lady of the Snows - 265 Walkers Mills Road (Rt. 26), The Rev. Philip Tracy. Saturday Mass, 6 p.m. Office 364-4556, announcements 824-2933.

Episcopal House Church - Third Sunday of the month, 4 p.m. For details: 824-3932

West Parish Congregational - Church Street, Rev. Virginia Rickeman, Pastor. Sundays: 10 a.m. worship and Sunday School. Nursery and child care provided. Tuesdays: 8 a.m., informal Prayer Group with coffee in the Chapel. All are welcome. First Wednesday of the month: 8 a.m., Mens' Breakfast in the Dining Room downstairs. Entrance in rear of church. Thursdays: 7 p.m. Choir Practice in the Sanctuary. New voices welcome. For more information, call

United Methodist - Carol Stevens, Pastor. 9 a.m. Sunday Worship.

West Bethel Union - Morning worship and 9 a.m. Sunday School. For information, call 836-3533 or 836-2882. Rev. John Williams.

Pleasant Valley Bible - Pastor Aaron McNally, Sunday Services: Sunday School, 9am; Worship Service, 10am; Ladies Bible study Tuesday, 2:30pm; Small group Bible study, Tuesday 6pm; Awana Club (3-6 grades), Sunday 5-7 pm. FMI 836-3006 or 824-2037.

Church of Christ - at home of Keith Hamel, minister, 507 Walker's Mills Road (Route 26), Bethel. Sunday: Bible class, 9 a.m.; Worship Service 10 a.m. Wednesday: Bible study, 7 p.m. 824-3577 FMI.

Seventh Day Adventist Fellowship: Meets at the Nazarene Church on Saturdays, on Church Street in Bethel. Sabbath School 9:30 a.m.; Worship, 11 a.m. For more info, call 824-8939.

EAST STONEHAM

Oxford County United Parish Churches in Stoneham and North Waterford - Services at 10 a.m. at the North Waterford Congregational Church (UCC), located on the Five Kezars Road, off Routes 35 & 37, opposite Melby's Market. Services held at North Waterford through the winter months. Choir practice 9am, followed by Bible Study at 9:15am.

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Locke Mills Union - Pastor Sondra Withey. Sunday morning service will begin at 9 a.m. Bible study at the church is every Tuesday at 6:30 pm. Everyone is welcome.

NEWRY

Sunday River Christian Ministry: Interdenominational worship with the Rev. Don Coverdale, seasonal Christmas Eve through Easter, Sunday 10 a.m. to 11 a.m. at White Cap, on the second floor. For more information, 824-5896 (recording).

NORWAY/PARIS

First Church of Christ, Scientist - Sunday service

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North Paris Federation - Morse Hill Road, North Paris. Sunday Service 8 a.m., Pastor Bruce Tynner. 674-2968. Singspiration third Sunday each month alternating with West Paris Baptist Church at 7 p.m.

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First Baptist Church of Paris - On the Common at the top of Paris Hill. 10:30 am worship service. Sunday School at 9:30 a.m. Coffee hour follows the service. Fellowship lunch held the first Sunday of each month following worship. Pastor Ron Blake. **St. Catherine's** - Saturday 6 p.m. Vigile Mass;

Sunday 8:30 a.m. Mass. **Unitarian Universalist Church of Norway** - 11am worship. (Sept - June) Child care is provided. Religious education classes 11am-12:15pm. FMI 743-2828.

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St. Barnabus Episcopal Church - Holy Communion, 9:30 a.m. Rev. Tim Parsons, Priest-in-charge. Special holidays will be announced. Stone church at the rotary. **Roman Catholic Church of the Holy Savior, St. Athanasius and St. John** - 125 Main Ave. The Rev. Philip Tracy. Saturday Mass, 4 pm; Sunday Mass, 9:30 am; Weekday Mass, 8 a.m. Office 364-4556.

Praise Assembly of God - Pastor Justin Thacker. 986 Prospect Ave. Adult and teen Sunday school 9am. Sunday worship service at 10am and 6pm. Wednesday night bible study 6:45 pm. FMI call 364-3856 or see our website at www.praiseassemblyofgod.net.

RUMFORD POINT

Rumford Point Church - Sunday service, Sunday School, 10:30 a.m. Sondra Withey.

SUMNER

East Sumner Congregational - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday service, 9 a.m.

WEST PARIS

Unitarian Universalist Church of West Paris - 9 a.m. worship. Rev. Richard

Beal. 674-2143.

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West Paris Congregational Church - Linda Kimball, pastor. Sunday Worship 11 a.m.; Sunday School 10 a.m.

WOODSTOCK

Bryant Pond Baptist - Pastor Larry Hodgkins, Sundays: Sunday School 9:15 a.m.; Morning Worship 10:30 a.m.; Evening Service 6:00 p.m.; Wednesdays: Prayer & bible study 6:30 p.m.; Fridays: Youth Group 7-12th grade, 6:30pm

Woodstock Seventh day Adventist - Pastor Richard Wright (207-797-9678), Saturday: 9:20 a.m. Sabbath school. 11 a.m. worship service.

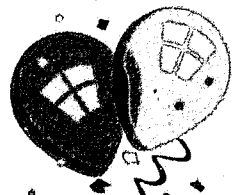
Pinhook Meeting House (Rt. 232, North Woodstock) - Hymn Sing, last Friday of each month, 7 p.m. All welcome.

Mahoosuc Mountain Friends - a worship group meeting in the un-programmed tradition of Friends (Quakers) - Sundays, 9:30 a.m. at the Whitman Memorial Library, Bryant Pond. Newcomers welcome.

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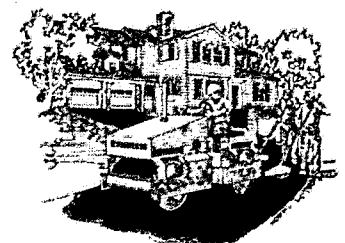
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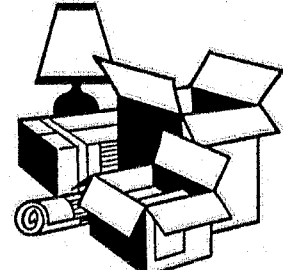
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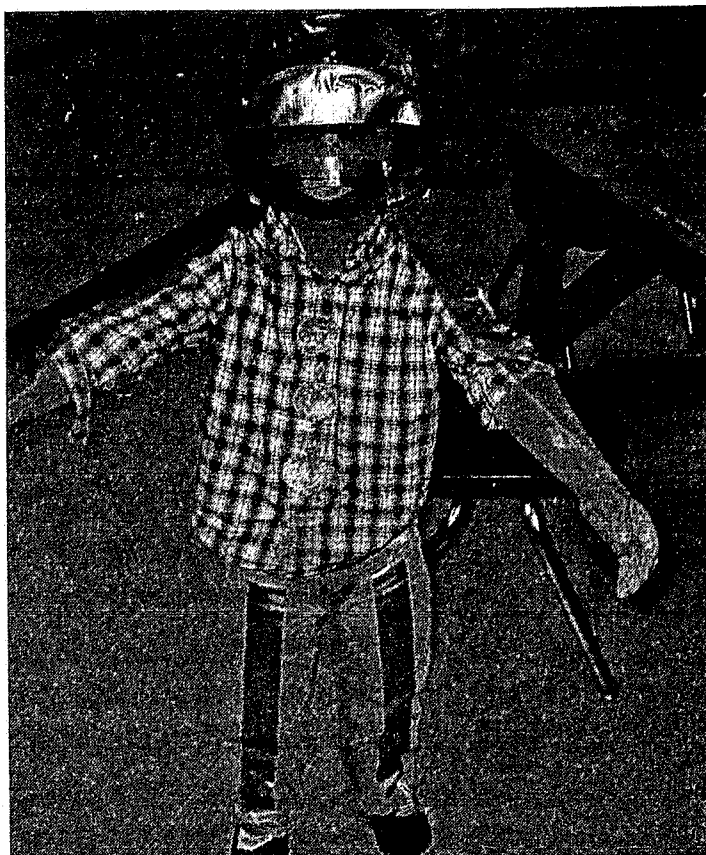
Welcome back to school! MKA had a wonderful summer and I would like to thank my staff for getting the school year off to a great start.

Welcome back to CPS - Angie Rosenberg, Megan Kelly, Brittney Field, & Riley Gilbert. WES staff is Veronica Penley. TMS/TMS staff is Michele Bouchard and Lorie White. The students have "jumped" right in doing projects for the upcoming Fairs. They submit work to both the Oxford County and Fryeburg Fairs. Be sure to join us this Friday, Sept 17th at Telstar as "Got Farms" presents the Fantastic Food Frenzy. This is a free public supper featuring food from several of the Western Maine educational gardens. As we look ahead all of our sites will be celebrating "Lights on Afterschool" on Oct 21, & 22. MKA will be celebrating with afterschool programs all over the country the positive impact that afterschool programs have on our kids, their parents, and our community. MKA is happy to take donations of recycle materials. The kids just love recycle day! We also have, as the weather gets colder, a need for hats, mittens, snowpants, etc. Enjoy the beautiful fall weather and don't forget to visit our MKA displays at the fairs!

- Julie Hart,
MKA Director



Ana Rossow, Maddox Ormiston, and Chase Ormiston work on our Mahoosuc Kids scarecrow.



Introducing Henry Schroeder as "HENRYBOT"!



TMS students
Monica and Kaylee
painting murals for
the fair and school.



Travis, Zac and
Spencer playing
the Wii.



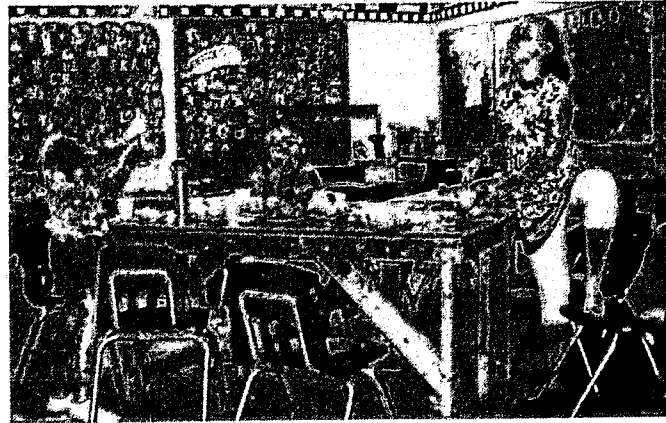
Wyatt Williamson takes a time out from playing kickball to tie Lily Schofield's shoe.



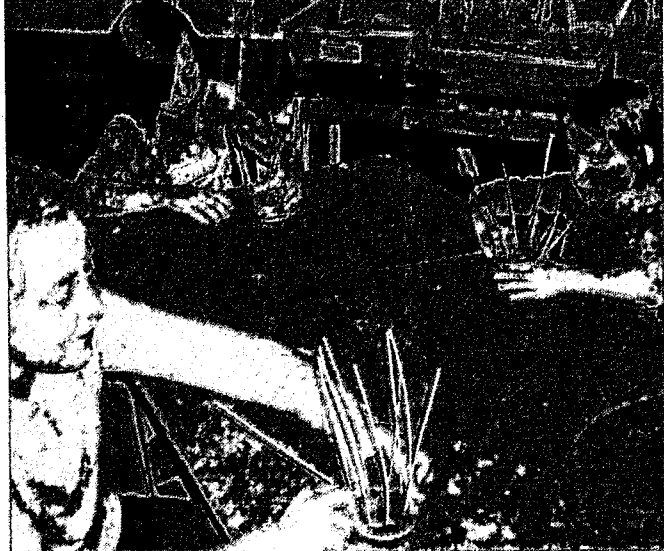
Matt Dillon hangs upside down on the Woodstock School's play equipment



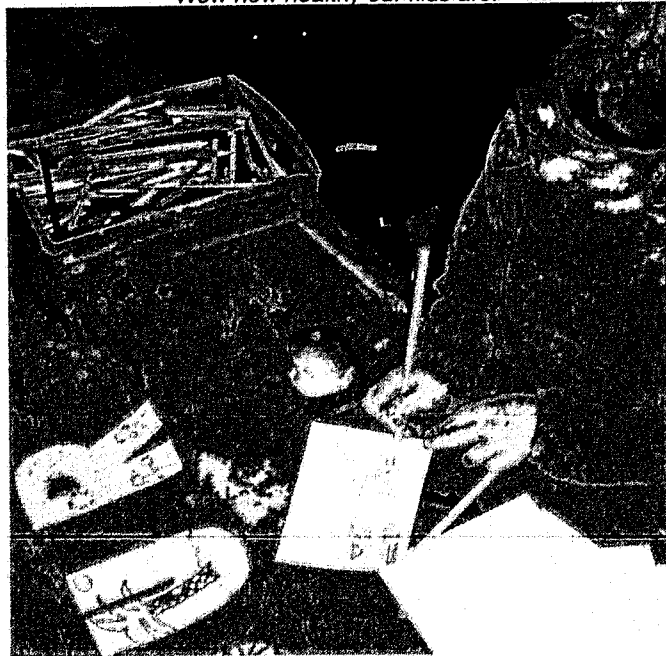
Joe Dillon kicks the ball out of the goal cage.



Brynn Speakman, Becca Morin and Caroline Finley having a wonderful vitamin C snack of oranges. Wow how healthy our kids are!



Rebecca Morin, Mia Hoffman, and Bella Devivo weave baskets that will be submitted to the Fryeburg Fair early next month.



Odessa Files works on a Mahoosuc Kids group poster that will also be submitted to the fair.



Lucas B. playing basketball in Open Gym.



Brynn Speakman and her amazing flying legos!

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The Town of Greenwood will be accepting bids for the winter sand supply until 4 pm on, Tuesday, September 21, 2010 at the Municipal Building, Bird Hill Road, Greenwood, ME 04255. The bids will be opened and read aloud at 5 pm on Tuesday, September 21, 2010. The Town will require 2000 cubic yards of three quarter-screened sand, salted and stockpiled in Town Salt Shed. All sand must be in building by October 7, 2010. Salt will be mixed with sand when screened. The Town of Greenwood will supply the salt. Bids should be in a sealed envelope marked "Winter Sand" and no bid received later than 4 pm will be accepted. The Board of Selectmen reserves the right to accept or reject any or all bids. **Kimberly Sparks, Road Commissioner**

Secretary

Part-time, regular, 30-hours per week, \$10.77/hr. Position is contingent on funding. This position performs complex clerical work and will alternate between two Oxford County Cooperative Extension offices based on work demands. Excellent computer, organizational & communication skills are required. Background checks as necessary. Anticipated start date is mid December 2010. A complete job description, application and summary of benefits are available on the website at: <http://jobs.umaime.edu/> or Telephone and TDD, 207-581-2362. Application deadline is October 15, 2010.

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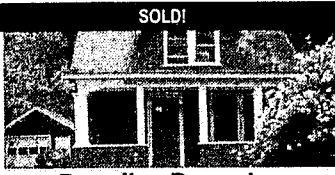
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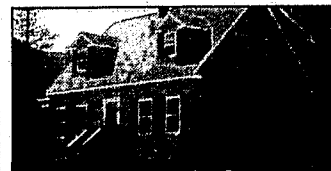
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511 North Road, Bethel:
This upscale 4-BR, 2.5-bath home is on a beautifully landscaped lot minutes from downtown. The home features many recent updates, wood-burning fireplace, master suite, hot tub, in-ground pool, finished basement, and a 20x30-foot barn/workshop. \$359,000



Lot 33, Will View Phase II, Bethel:
To be built, 3-BR/2-bath, log-sided chalet with family room in daylight basement. Features include screened porch, tiled mudroom, gas fireplace, tongue & groove pine ceiling in living area and a wrap-around deck. Private yet convenient setting. \$269,000



Eden Ridge, Unit 3B, Bethel:
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57 Keystone Dr, Powder Ridge:
3,000-sq ft home artfully designed, sold fully furnished. 5 BRS, 3 baths. Kitchen has Viking range, pot filler, concrete countertops, walk-in pantry & more. 3-sided wood-burning fireplace in living rm, gas fireplaces in master suite & family room. Sunday River views. \$659,000



14 Crosby Lane, Newry:
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Lot 5 Hickory Drive, Woodstock: Oak Hill II - 1.2 acres with lake and mountain views. Close to ski areas and area lakes and ponds. Soil tested and surveyed with power at the street. \$56,900

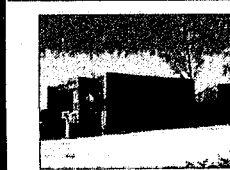
Lot 28 Breckenridge Road: This 2.03-acre hillside lot in sought-after Powder Ridge has panoramic views from Puzzle Mountain, across the Androscoggin River Valley to the lights of Bethel Village. \$109,000

Lot 5, Merriman Drive, Bethel: Sunset Hill subdivision. Just a mile from Bethel village, Lot 5 offers over two acres of land, privacy and beautiful mountain views. \$72,000

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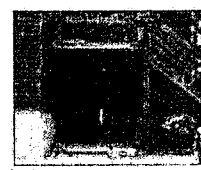
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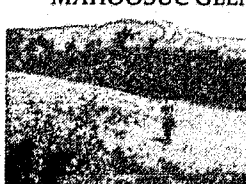
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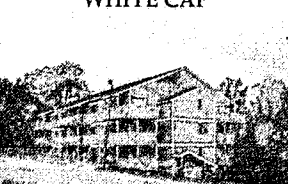
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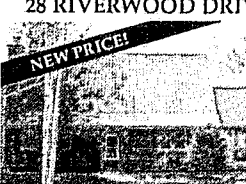
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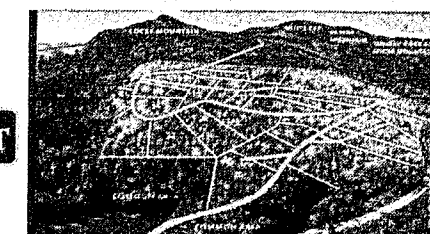


End Unit

28 RIVERWOOD DRIVE



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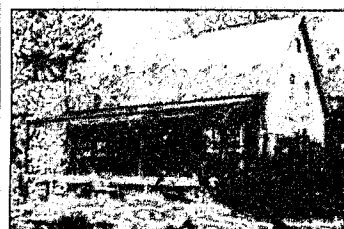
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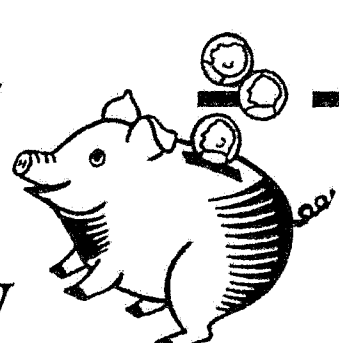
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Briefly

SAD 44 OKs add-back positions

ANDOVER—Utilizing about \$100,000 of \$270,000 in federal Jobs Bill funds recently received, the SAD 44 School Board Monday approved the addition back into the current budget of a custodian and a secretarial position. The positions were cut during last spring's budget-building. A custodian will be added back to the Telstar complex, and the secretarial position will likely be split between Telstar and CPS, "with only one secretary currently in each office," Supt. Dave Murphy said Tuesday. A new fifth-grade teacher will also be hired at the Crescent Park Elementary School. The class had grown to 47 from 41 since the beginning of the school last year, said Murphy. The remainder of the jobs bill funds, said Murphy, will likely be held over for the next school year, when further losses in state aid are expected. "We already know that we will be in for another difficult budget year in FY'12," he said. The board also approved the appointment of Shannon Waggoner as a 3/5 elementary instrumental music teacher, replacing Seth Wilkins. And Levi Brown was appointed as half-time school health coordinator, replacing Barb Russell, who has moved back into the classroom as a health/physical education teacher this year. Brown's former position as half-time physical education position will now be advertised. He also serves as teaching principal at CPS.

Free public supper at Telstar

BETHEL—The "Fantastic Food Frenzy," a free public supper provided by the "G.O.T. Farms?" group at Telstar Middle/High School, will take place Friday at the Telstar gym from 6 to 7:30 p.m. The supper features food from several Western Maine educational gardens, grown and prepared by students. There will also be live music performed by students, and educational garden displays.

SAD 44 flu shot clinics

BETHEL—Flu shot clinics, offering the seasonal flu vaccine, will once again be offered to all students in SAD 44 during school hours. The World Health Organization (WHO) has declared the 2009 H1N1 pandemic over, but they expect the virus to continue to circulate as a seasonal virus for years to come. The seasonal flu vaccine protects against three influenza viruses that research indicates will be most common during the upcoming season. The 2010-2011 flu vaccine will protect against 2009 H1N1, and two other influenza viruses. On Feb. 24, 2010 vaccine experts voted that everyone 6 months and older should get a flu vaccine each year starting with the 2010-

2011 influenza season. Informational packets and permission forms will be sent home to families in SAD 44 within the next two weeks.

Milfoil update

BRYANT POND—This past spring, the Community Lakes Association (CLA) received a substantial grant to continue its milfoil control project on Lake Christopher and Shagg Pond as part of the Maine Milfoil Initiative. Funds from the grant were used, in part, to purchase a D.A.S.H. (diver assisted suction harvesting) system and boat. Throughout the summer, with guidance from Jim Chandler, staff and summer camp participants from the University of Maine 4-H Camp & Learning Center at Bryant Pond have been installing benthic mats, hand-pulling the invasive milfoil, maintaining screens and installing signs. This is a multi-year project and, hopefully the grant funding will continue. However, donations and volunteers are very much needed to ensure the success of these efforts. For more information visit the Community Lakes Association at www.communitylakesassociation.org; or the University of Maine 4-H Camp & Learning Center at Bryant Pond at: www.extension.umaine.edu/bryantpond.

Island's turbines too loud

VINALHAVEN—A consultant hired by the Maine Department of Environmental Protection agreed with local residents who've complained that three wind turbines installed on Vinalhaven island exceed state noise standards. Some neighbors have expressed frustration over the nighttime noise levels, and the consultant, Warren Brown from the University of Maine, agreed that the turbines exceed the 45-decibel limit. "We're encouraged that after all this hard work and effort that it's coming to some sort of conclusion," islander Cheryl Lindgren said Monday. She noted that the "whoosh" and "wump" sounds from the turbines less than a half-mile from her home are loud enough to drown out a seasonal brook behind her home. The Fox Island Wind farm was dedicated in November 2009 with a goal of easing electricity rates for 1,800 year-round residents of Vinalhaven and North Haven islands. Residents were told that ambient noise would muffle the turbines. But some residents near the turbines have complained about the noise, especially at night. Brown, who gave his findings last week to the Department of Environmental Protection, agreed that the turbines violated noise limits. "Substantial changes are recommended for FIW nighttime operations," Brown wrote. He declined to elaborate on what options there are to lessen the noise. "All I can say is, it's a work in progress," Brown said from his office in Old Town.

Weddings



Mr. & Mrs. Michael J. Field

Brittany Lynn Cole and Michael James Field were married Aug. 21, 2010, at the Twitchell Brook farm on the North Road in Gilead, Maine.

The bride is the daughter of Katherine and Andrew Thompson of Newry and Ken Cole of Gilead.

The groom is the son of Betsy and Lars Lokken of Newry. Presented in marriage by her father and stepfather, the bride was attended by her maid of honor, April Bolstridge, and six bridesmaids. Buster Coye of Naples was the best man, accompanied by five groomsmen. Elizabeth Cooper of Poland was the flower girl.

The reception was held at the same address and was beautifully decorated in silver and purple.

The bride is a student at the University of Maine at Augusta where she is majoring in Secondary Education with a concentration in History. She plans on receiving her bachelor's degree in 2011. She currently works at Mahoosuc Kids Association Afterschool Program and substitutes in the SAD 44 area.

The groom is self employed with his business, Field Plumbing & Heating.

The couple honeymooned in Maui for a week.

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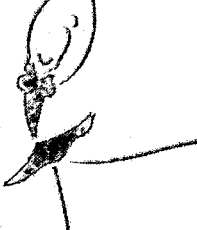
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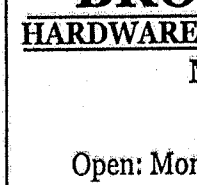
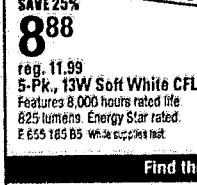
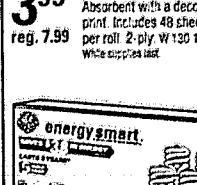
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